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Asia Summit Clouded by Tensions on **East Timor**

Riots Erupt in Province, And Protesters Occupy U.S. Embassy in Jakarta

By Michael Richardson

JAKARTA — Rioting erupted in Indo-pesian-occupied East Timor, and Timorie protesters occupying a section of the U.S. Embassy grounds here were refusing to leave Sunday only hours before President Bill Clinton arrived for an Asia-Pacific summit meeting.

The incidents ensured that human rights would remain on the agenda over the next few days despite the U.S. administration's hopes of focusing on market-opening measures in the region to create more jobs for Americans.

The riots in the capital of East Timor, Dili, and the invasion of the embassy grounds in Jakarta by a group of about 30 Timorese students reflect continuing tensions over the status of the former Portuguese colony invaded by Indonesia in 1975 and annexed the following year.

The takeover of East Timor by Indonesia has not been recognized by the United Nations or the United States.

Analysts said that the embassy occupation, which began Saturday, and the unrest in Dili that flared on Sunday were intended by Timorese opposed to Indonesian control to attract international attention as leaders from the United States and 17 other members of APEC, the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation forum, gathered in Indonesia for an informal summit meeting

Tuesday in the city of Bogor. Indonesian and American officials sought to play down the trouble.

Major Laedan Simbolon, the Indonesian military spokesman in East Timor, ud that protesters rampaged through Dili on Sunday, smashing shops, burning cars and throwing rocks at the police. But he added that the disturbances had died down by midday.

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Major Simbolon said that he did not know what had triggered the unrest, but residents said several hundred demonstrators had taken to the streets to mark the anniversary of the killing of scores of Timorese by Indonesian soldiers during a

demonstration three years ago.
Others were protesting the killing of a Timorese man by an Indonesian, apparently in a trade dispute on Saturday, they

Protesters said that they planned to bury the man at Dili's Santa Cruz cemetery on Monday after a procession that would pass by the office of the East Timor governor. A similar funeral procession to the cemetery three years ago led to the killings that tarnished Indonesia's human rights image. The U.S. secretary of state, Warren M.

Christopher, said that Washington understead the concern of the Timorese students

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Algeria Hijackers Give Up in Spain

PALMA, Majorea (AFP) — Three men who hijacked an Algerian airliner on Sunday freed all 31 passengers and 4 crew members in Palma and gave themselves up, an airport spokesman

The hijackers seized the plane dur-ing a domestic flight in Algeria and forced it to fly to the Spanish island of Majorca, in the Mediterranean. They claimed to have a bomb and

threatened to blow the aircraft up prisoners are released all political that were cancassed all political inat were cancered an pontical lamic fundamentalists were passions.

Ireland's leader said a breakup of his coalition could hamper efforts to make peace with the IRA. Page 2.

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East Timorese demonstrators who occupied the U.S. Embassy in Jakarta taking a rest from their protests Sunday after storming the compound a day earlier.

China Lags on World Trade Reform, U.S. Says

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches JAKARTA - The U.S. trade representative, Mickey Kantor, said Sunday that he doubted that a deal could be struck in time to allow China to join the World Trade

Organization by the Jan. 1 target date. The United States says China must do more to bring its economy into line with other major trading nations to qualify as a founding member of the World Trade Organization, which succeeds the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade.

Trade Minister Wu Yi of China, Mr. Kantor said that although it was still possible for China to make the Jan. 1 deadline, he was "not persuaded" that "we can finish our negotiations by the end of the year." Still, he added, "We will make every

effort" to do so. To that end, he said American and Chinese officials would meet in Geneva early next month to pursue a deal.

"The pace of progress depends on China," Mr. Kantor said. "They know exactly what is necessary." Speaking after a meeting with Foreign

Mrs. Wu countered by warning against making the negotiations a "one-way

She added: "We think we have have arrived at the time to resolve the accession. But whether we can do it or not isn't only

The U.S. trade official said the majority the 20-nation working committee on WTO membership "supports the U.S. position that China's offer at this point is not adequate."

Washington wants a range of commit-

ments from China to reform its currency and market laws in line with the free-trade principles that underpin GATT.

China maintains that it is a developing country and that allowances for this should be made. But Washington counters that the Chinese economy and growth rate are so large that Beijing can no longer make that argument.

Mr. Kantor is in Indonesia for meetings of the 18-member Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation forum. President Bill Clinton

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'Come to Us' on Foreign Policy, Dole Warns Clinton

By Paul F. Horvitz

WASHINGTON — ssuing a blunt warning on the conduct of American foreign policy, Senator Bob Dole aid Sunday that the White House would have to bow to the views of the new Republican najority in Congress as it pursues its nals

Mr. Dole specifically cited U.S. policy interview. "We're willing to cooperate, but Haiti, Bosnia, Korea and on world trade not on their terms." issues as he signaled that Republicans would not permit President Bill Clinton to set his own agenda in foreign affairs in

"They're going to have to come to us,"

Mr. Dole is the Republican leader in the bode and will be majority leader in that fter elections last week that swept

January, when control of the legislative Republicans to majorities of both houses branch shifts to Republicans. Republicans to majorities of both houses of Congress.

The cautionary note by Mr. Dole came the Kansas senator said in a broadcast just as Mr. Clinton, in Jakarta for an economic summit meeting, was telling concerned Asian leaders that U.S. foreign

aftermath. (Page 6.)
In warning the White House that Republicans would vigorously assert their views, Mr. Dole specifically aligned himself with similar remarks on domestic policy made recently by Representative Newt Gingrich of Georgia, the presumptive new House speaker.

In a speech on Friday, Mr. Gingrich said he was "very willing to cooperate" with the Clinton administration but declared: "I am not prepared to compromise" on Republican goals.

Mr. Dole's remarks suggested that Republican assertiveness in foreign policy could hinder any new White House strategy to shift the Democratic president's attention away from legislative matters and toward the foreign stage, where he can presumably act more freely.
"I think the president should know now

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Swedes Head For EU After 'Yes' Vote in Referendum

Historic Independence As Neutral Is Altered; Norway Could Follow

By Fred Barbash

STOCKHOLM — Swedish voters decided Sunday to join the European Union after a soul-searching debate that focused on the nation's historic independence from the rest of Europe.

With virtually all districts counted, 52.2 percent of ballots cast favored membership; 46.9 percent were opposed, and .9

percent were blank. For Sweden, and for Europe, it was a landmark day. Sweden has always gone its own way, proudly and often alone, remaining officially neutral throughout World War II and the Cold War and declining for three decades to affiliate with the European Community or its successor, the European Union.

That tradition was the strongest argument made against joining the "single mar-ket," according to polls, along with dire predictions that membership would undermine the country's stringent environmen-

tal and social welfare laws.
A united front of most of Sweden's business and political establishment was assembled to overcome the diverse coalition of opponents. The argument of the "yes" side was that Sweden needed the Union to bolster its exports, improve its lagging international credit and strengthen its troubled economy. Join up or get left out, was the slogan. With the Cold War over, neu-

trality was no longer so relevant, they said. For Europe, its "single market" will now stretch for the first time from the Greek isles and the Mediterranean nations of the south to the Arctic regions of the north; from Ireland and Britain in the West to the Baltic Sea in the East. Sweden, though just emerging from recession, will bring signifi-cant wealth to the Union, helping to offset the needs of the poorer member countries.

And the expansion is just beginning. Norway will hold a referendum on Nov. 28 on EU membership. While polls there have been tilting toward "no," analysts say they believe the outcome here could change sentiment there as well as in Finland, where, despite a favorable referendum vote last month, the Parliament has been holding off formal ratification. The newly independent nations of Eastern Europe are

The "no" advocates - farmers, environmentalists, leftists and others — contended that the European Union was a hydraheaded bureaucratic monster that would swallow up Sweden and its 9 million people, undermining everything they stand for: neutrality, open government, social welfare and purity of air, water and life in

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A Hell for Bosnia Refugees, Made by One of Their Own

By Roger Cohen

CETINGRAD, Croatia - Where 60,000 chickens once clucked and fed, thousands of Bosnia's ragged dispossessed now mingle in the mud, lugging containers of water and bundles of soiled clothing through a landscape awash with sewage and misery.

They are Bosnian Muslims, these children playing amid stinking piles of garbage, these women crouched in huge chicken coops stirring soup over makeshift fires, these properties fires and the children. these men chopping firewood in the gloom, yet the distinction between their lot and that of animals is not easy to discern.

Of all the horrors of the 31-month-old Bosnian war, the Batnoga refugee camp in an enormous converted chicken farm is one of the strangest and most sinister. In the midst of Europe, it suggests the deprivation of Africa.

And in its origins, it conveys the degree of madness now attained by the war. For the 17,000 Muslims inhabiting this shad-owy farm have fled the Muslim-led army of the Bosnian government.

Whether they did so out of rational fear, or because they were obliged to do so by the rebel Muslim leader they support, is a

question overshadowed by the squalor of their plight.

"For me, this is the shame of Europe." said Wycliffe Songwa, a United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees official from Kenya who is striving to conjure some level of order from the morass. "If I was back in Africa, I would understand, because the poverty is such that these situations arise. But in the middle of Europe, this is unacceptable." In each of 24 fetid sheds where chickens

were once fattened, about 750 refugees now live. By the shifting light of candles or small stoves, some play cards, some stir caldrons of cabbage, some lie slumped on mattresses provided by the United Na-Babies scream and children play while

old men stare vacantly out across a shadowy, seething expanse that is suggestive of

The camp began to take shape three months ago, when the V Corps of the Bosnian Army, based in Bihac in northwestern Bosnia, overran the renegade forces of Fikret Abdic, a Muslim business. man and politician opposed to President

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Basic Logic: Microft's Whiz Downoads Leonardo's Manuscript

haps the richest man in the United States ard formerly known to the museum world as a champion of digitized images and something of a threat to the integrity of original works of art, is now east as the American savier of a rare, 72-page docu-pent, laboriously written and illustrated

o an artist's hand. Mr. Gates, the chairman of Microsoft Cp., the computer software giant, has be, identified as the anonymous buyer of a illustrated manuscript by Leonar-

scientific manuscript by lay of the naissance master has creat lian Refor the computer industry and role art experts said. "It's his first major purcha veral "It's his first major pursual kind," said a Microsoft spoke

Mich Matthews. Mr. Gates, 39, listed this Forbes magazine as the richest A can, with assets of \$9.2 billion, con be reached for comment, but Ms. thews said Saturday that Mr. Ga

planned to display the minute in Italy for a year and then send him a worldwide tour of museums.

Leonardo's vast scientific treat known as the Hammer Codex, was sold at Christie's New York auction house on behalf of the University of California, Los Angeles/Armand Hammer Museum of Art and Cultural Center. The museum was founded in 1990 by Mr. Hammer, he late chairman of Occidental Petroits m Corp., and the university took over Musum officials consigned the valu-

ble document to auction to establish a

reserve fund as a hedge against potential legal expenses incurred by Mr. Hammer's estate. Christie's had estimated the value of the Leonardo at more than \$10

a London auction for the then-record price of \$5.62 million. Christie's identified the buyer only as a private collector. The Seartle Post-Intelligencer later disclosed that the new owner was Mr. Gates, whose computer software carpine is based in the Seattle suburb of Redward

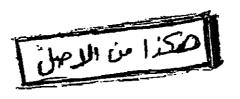
suburb of Redmond. At the UCLA/Hammer Museum, the

purchase was greeted as an auspicious million. Hammer purchased it in 1980 at

"That's good news," the museum di-rector, Henry T. Hopkins, said. "And it makes perfect sense. There's a certain logic to a scientific whiz being interested in a scientific manuscript. He also praised Mr. Gates's reported

plans to make the document available to "He may find pleasure in having it out and about," Mr. Hopkins said. 'I would

A museum trustee, Eli Broad, also See CODEX, Page 6



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STICKING THEIR NOSES IN - Demonstrators wearing Pinocchio masks to show their opinion of Silvio Berlusconi's budget during rallies in Rome that drew a million people. The budget faces a parliamentary test Monday.

Feuds Leave French Right in Disarray

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PARIS — The resignation of a third scandal-tainted cabinet minister and fierce political feuding have plunged the French right into deep disarray, conservative po-litical leaders acknowledge.

The bitter rivalry between the Gaullist presidential rivals, Jacques Chirac, the mayor of Paris, and Prime Minister Edouard Balladur "could end up suicidal" for the right, said Philippe Séguin, president of the National Assembly and a

"If we continue down the path that we have taken, we will end up finished," Mr. Séguin said on French television. He predicted that the squabbling would pave the way for a victory by the likely Socialist candidate, Jacques Delors, in the April-May elections.

Mr. Delors, now the European Commission president, surged into the lead in the latest opinion survey published on Friday, although he has yet to declare his candida-Just a few months ago, the left was in

shambles, and victory appeared all but certain for the right, which took control of

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Cooperation Minister Michel Roussin

Mr. Balladur's center-right government has been hit by widening corruption scandals that have now claimed three cabinet

and had seemed to be consolidating its

stepped down on Saturday over allegations of illicit political funding. He became the third member of the cabinet to resign under a cloud since July. Gérard Longuet quit as industry minister last month and Communications Minister Alain Carignon resigned in July.

To maximize its chances in the contest to succeed President François Mitterrand, whose second seven-year term ends in May, conservatives had been lobbying for months for a single candidate from the right. Instead, it appears there will be a plethora of challengers from the governing

In addition to Mr. Chirac and Mr. Balladur from the Gaullist Rally for the Republic, both former president Valery Giscard

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government from the Socialists in 1993 party, the Union for French Democracy, and Jean-Marie Le Pen from the far-right National Front are expected to run.

Tension peaked Saturday when Mr. Chirac, twice before a losing presidential candidate, announced to a special RPR convention that he was stepping down as party chief to devote himself full-time to

campaigning.
The meeting culminated in a vote of confidence in Mr. Chirac, which his supporters boasted was tantamount to an endorsement of his candidacy.

Mr. Chirac was unapologetic in his ad-

dress to cheering supporters, emphasizing divisions rather than seeking to smoothe them over. Though he did not mention Mr. Balladur by name, he contrasted "real friends like you and those courtesans who are swayed by opinion polls."

He dismissed "those who are popular

today but will be swept away like dry leaves tomorrow."

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Irish Leader Sees Threat to IRA Peace

Coalition Breakup at Issue By James F. Clarity

New York Times Service DUBLIN -- Prime Minister Albert Reynolds said Sunday that the breakup of his coalition government, threatened by the Labor Party, would impede ef-forts toward peace in Northern

The threat remained intact Sunday night after a meeting of the Labor Party legislators, with a decision delayed until Mr. Reynolds answers questions on the dispute on Tuesday in Parliament.

After the Labor Party meeting, Labor officials and those of other parties, as well as independent analysis, said that a collapse of the government seemed likely and that party officials had begun preparations for a general election.

Mr. Reynolds, who has spearheaded the effort to bring the Irish Republican Army to the negotiating table, appealed to the Labor Party leader, Dick Spring, not to pull out of the coalition. The action could either precipitate a national election before Christmas or the time-consuming formation of a new coalition government, possibly excluding Mr. Reynolds and his party, Fianna Fail. Northern Ireland peace is not

the issue dividing the two par-ties, whose 99 combined seats control the 166-member Parliament. Mr. Reynolds and Mr. Spring generally agree on how to advance the peace initiative.

promoted his attorney general to the second-highest judicial post in the country.

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ments. USAir executives denied

to draw negative conclusions

The appointment ignored Labor's complaints that the of-ficial, Harry Whelehan, had delayed for seven months responding to a request for extradition to Northern Ireland of a Roman Catholic priest accused of child molestation. The priest eventually surrendered, was convicted and is now serving a four-year term in a Northem prison.

Labor members had demanded that Mr. Whelehan personally account for his action in the case, which provoked widespread media coverage in this predominantly Roman Catholic country. They consider Mr. Whelehan's promotion to president of the High Court, a position where he is immune from questioning, to be an arrogant political stroke

by Mr. Reynolds. On Sunday morning, after telephoning Mr. Spring, who is deputy prime minister and foreign minister, Mr. Reynolds said, "At this crucial stage of the peace process, it is my personal conviction that the interests of the nation are best served by the government continuing in office."

On Sunday night, Mr. Spring said Mr. Reynolds must "redress the breakdown of trust in the partnership" when he speaks on Tuesday.

Labor members of the twoyear-old coalition said as they entered their meeting that the collapse of the two-year-old government seemed inevitable,

There is the most serious of doubts about the continuance of this government," Health Minister Brendan Howlin said.

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WORLD BRIEFS

2 More Bomb Blasts Rock Baghdad

BAGHDAD (Reuters) — One person was killed and three students were wounded in Baghdad when two bombs exploded in Iraqi capital, the official Iraqi press agency, INA, reported.

The person who died was believed to have been carrying a

bomb when it exploded on a main street Saturday. The students were wounded in a bomb attack on a Baghdad school. The authorities have reported four such blasts in the capital in less than a month. No group has taken responsibility for the attacks, although Iraq has suggested that Israeli agents or Iran could be responsible.

Chissano Leads in Mozambique Vote

MAPUTO, Mozambique (Reuters) — With nearly three-quarters of the votes counted Sunday in Mozambique's first presidential and general elections, President Joaquim Chissano held a comfortable lead over his nearest rival, Afonso Dhlakama, the former Renamo rebel chief.

Mr. Chissano, whose Frelimo party has ruled Mozambique since independence from Portugal, in 1975, held 55.5 percent of votes in the presidential race compared to Mr. Dhlakama's 33 percent, out of just over 68 percent of votes counted,

In balloting for the 250-seat Parliament, Frelimo held 46.5 percent and Renamo 36.6 percent, National Electoral Commission figures showed.

Pakistan Troops Clash With Militants

PESHAWAR, Pakistan (Reuters) — At least 11 people were killed Sunday as rebellious Islamic militants fought Pakistani troops in a remote northwestern region, officials and doctors said. The rebels, calling for Islamic law to be imposed in their semiautonomous tribal region, fired rockets and mortar shells at the paramilitary Frontier Corps troops trying to dislodge them from hilltops in the Bajaur Agency bordering Afghanistan, wit-

Six militants and three paramilitary troops were killed in battle; in the Nawagai pass southwest of Khar, official sources said. Two civilians were killed in Khar itself.

Amnesty International Faults Kenya

LONDON (Reuters) — President Daniel arap Moi's visit to London this week will be marred by a report that accuses Kenyan authorities of permitting the systematic harassment of their political opponents, a British newspaper said. The Sunday Telegraph said the report by Amnesty Internation-

al, which was leaked to the newspaper, condemned in particular the trial of four leading dissidents.

The four, who are prominent opponents of Mr. Moi's Kenya African National Union party, face charges of attempted robbery with violence at a police station north of Nairobi last November. If convicted, they will receive mandatory death sentences. "The trial of these four defendants appears to be part of a pattern of harassment of human rights activists, opposition figures and journalists," Amnesty said.

Beijing Convicts a Leading Reporter

BELIING (NYT) - After failing for lack of evidence to convict a prominent Chinese journalist last April, Beijing's branch of the People's Intermediate Court has tried again and succeeded, according to family members and rights groups said.

The journalist, Gao Yu, 50, a reporter known for her incisive analyses of China's economic reforms and internal political struggles, was convicted in the last week and sentenced in secret to six years in prison, family members said over the weekend. Miss Gao has been in jail since Oct. 2, 1993. She was seized days

before she was to depart for an academic year at Columbia University in New York. After her arrest, Miss Gao was accused USAir maintenance supervisor of "providing state secrets to parties outside the borders," a said he had tried to save the charge that is believed to be related to articles on politics and economics she wrote for the Mirror Monthly magazine in Hong

TRAVEL UPDATE

The first Israeli tourish to visit Jr. than entered the kingdom at the Jordan River Crossing ton Spruday, with Jordanian immigration officers stamping the passions of the 48 sightseers. (Reuters) KLM Royal Dutch Airlines and Carbay Pacific Airways of Hong Kong are discussing possible commercial cooperation in Europe. KLM said.

This Week's Holidays

Banking and government offices will be closed or services curtailed in the following countries and their dependencies this week because of national and religious holidays:

MONDAY: Jordan TUESDAY: Brazil, Ivory Coast. WEDNESDAY: Germany.

THURSDAY: Burma, Sri Lanka, Zaire. FRIDAY: Haiti, Latvia, Morocco.

SATURDAY: Belize, Monaco, Oman, Pnerto Rico.

Sources: J.P. Morgan, Reuters.

Channel Tunnel Train Set for Paying Riders

LONDON — The long-running saga of the Channel Tun-nel starts a new chapter on Monday as the project greets its first fare-paying passengers.

They are due to board state-of-the-art Eurostar trains to whisk them between London, Paris and Brussels, hopefully

without a repeat of problems that dogged test journeys. "We're extremely confident that this service will be a very great success," said Lesley Retallack, public relations managers. er at European Passenger Services, the British arm that will run Eurostar along with the French and Belgian railroads.

But the trains, costing £24 million (\$38.5 million) and seating 794 people, have caused several public relations fiascoes, mirroring what has been a troubled history for the whole Channel Tunnel project and its operator, Eurotumel.

One train failed just before a trip for 400 journalists, and a day later another broke down just outside Calais. The dignitaries delayed for two hours included the British Rail chairman, Sir Bob Reid, and the Eurotumnel co-chairman, Sir Alasteir Martin

The tunnel should have opened for business over a year ago, but construction and commissioning delays steadily pushed that date back.

Mr. Balladur, who has not formally de-Labor party members threatclared his candidacy yet, leads Mr. Chirac ened to leave the government but was not certain. in the polls. He stayed away from the on Friday after Mr. Reynolds meeting, as did numerous cabinet minis-

A Look at the Record of Troubled USAir

By Douglas Frantz and Raiph Blumenthal New York Times Service NEW YORK — As USAir

Flight 565 reached cruising alti-cord of any major American tude of 33,000 feet last Feb. 22, airline in more than 20 years. the pilots made a chilling dis-covery — their DC-9, carrying federal officials and USAir ex-62 passengers from Washington ecutives rushed to defend the to Boston, might not have safety of the airline. The Federenough fuel to reach its destina- al Aviation Administration said

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the pilots had not checked and chief executive, said in an interview. "The reality is that if The error and attempted con- I thought the airline was unsafe cealment from federal authori- I would ground every plane." ties was one of several safety But a less reassuring portrait and training lapses uncovered of the nation's sixth-largest and

tion of USAir undertaken after thousands of pages of federal a USAir Boeing 737 crashed records and court files covering amined by The Times. The crash, the worst aviation The Flight 565 fuel scare, for

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In addition, mr. safety experts are the analysis of court files and documents obtained thrush the Freedom of Information Act, which provides pruce access to records, found as following:

There is no ironciad measure of airline safety. Aviation experts caution that fatal accidents can distort an airline's record because there are so few of them.

In a letter to The Times on Friday, James T. Lloyd, USAir's executive vice presidents.

that accumulate over time and build a picture that distorts the fundamental truths. Any time you have millions of takeoffs and landings and 45,000 cmfalsely certifying that a captain der a microscope, you will find ployees, and you put them unhad completed training to avoid some irregularities. But this the violent downdrafts known; does not mean the company is a wind shear. Investigators in lax, and, in fact, it means that if the Charlotte accident bave there is a problem, we find it questioned when the pilots and we fix it."

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În Clinton's Foreign Policy Path, a Conservative Rock

By John M. Goshko and Daniel Williams Washington Post Service

WASHINGTON - With Republicans taking control of Congress, President Bill Clinton will find his entire foreign policy confronted by one of the Democrats' worst nightmares: the harsh scrutiny and frequent outright opposition of Jesse Helms, the North Carolina Republican who is the dean of Senate conservatives and will be the new chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee,

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During a brief news conference in Raleigh, North Carolina, last week, Mr. Helms reeled off a list of griev-

He started by asserting that Democratic control had made the Foreign Relations Committee "moribund in its oversight responsibilities," thereby allowing "State Department bureaucrats too often to fail to carry out their duties as required by law."

These were among the issues that he said the committee would review under his leadership:

The so-called foreign aid pro-

gram that," he said, "has spent an estimated \$2 trillion of the American taxpayers money, much of it going chevn foreign rat holes, to countries

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Remaking Hit Movies Into Flops

should take flops and make them better."

The movie mogul-Sam Goldwyn once said:

Studios shouldn't remake hit pictures; they

The Goldwyn wisdom has seldom been

practiced. Instead, notes Bob Thomas of The

Associated Press, it's all too often the other

way around: Yesterday's hits are remade into

"Love Affair" was a hit in 1939, less so when redone in 1957 as "An Affair to Re-member." The 1994 version with Warren

Bearty and Annette Bening has dropped like a

stone at the box office.

Likewise, "Mary Shelley's Frankenstein."

James Whale's 1931 version created a small

industry of imitators. Kenneth Branagh's new

attempt features Robert De Niro in the Boris

Karloff role. Reviews have been mixed, at

Perhaps the most successful of remakes is the 1989 "Batman," originally a serial in

1943, then a 1966 movie. But history is replete

with failed remakes. Among them:
"Wuthering Heights": The 1939 classic
with Laurence Olivier and Merle Oberon is

frequently revived. The 1970 redo with Timo-

thy Dalton and Anna Calder-Marshall went

"King Kong": Who could forget Fay Wray? The 1976 version had Jessica Lange,

with stronger sexual overtones but fewer tick-

today's flops.

that constantly oppose us in the United Nations, and many which reject will be no vindictiveness, no getting to be too soft on combating communism, too willing to surrender Americans, and many which reject even," he said. "We owe it to the concepts of freedom."

• Evaluation of why the Foreign efficient committee whose guiding Service, which Mr. Helms regards as a principle must unfailingly be. What is hotbed of liberal elitists, "should operate under different personnel rules and the American people?" from all other of our government's civilian personnel."

• Re-evaluation of U.S. relations made it the Senate's most prestigious with "that longtime nemesis of mil-lions of Americans, the United Na-tions, which costs the American taxpayers billions of dollars."

 The Middle East peace process. The peace process has enjoyed broad bipartisan support, but Mr. Helms singled out the current emphasis on achieving peace between Israel

and Syria.
"Syria doesn't want peace with Israel," he said. "What Syria wants is the Golan Heights; plus, of course, access to the American taxpayers' money."

"Congress needs to get off the dime," he said, "and demand a reassessment of the entire Middle East peace process so that we can know, in advance, what our commitments are likely to be."

But he took to the high road at the close of his recitation.

American people to function as an the best interest of the United States

Foreign Relations has lost much of the luster that in the postwar period

'As long as I am chairman, there will be no vindictiveness, no getting even.'

committee. But its powers, which include authorizing the money for for-eign aid and the conduct of U.S. activities abroad, holding hearings, approving presidential nominations for senior diplomatic posts and passing on treaties with other governments, still give the committee the potential to be a significant player.

No one recognizes that better than Mr. Helms, who has spent two decades "As long as I am chairman, there the tendency of successive presidents And Mr. Helms went out of his way

can sovereignty to vaguely defined multilateralism and too complacent about squandering U.S. tax dollars on dubious foreign ventures,

As one American official half-jokingly said, Mr. Helms has been "thoroughly bipartisan" in that respect. Even Presidents Ronald Reagan and Bush, two fellow Republicans whose administrations were not noted for their liberal bent, found their policies under constant attack by Mr. Helms.

Through scrutiny alone, the administration will certainly be treated differently from when committee hearings were run by the outgoing Democratic chairman, Senator Claiborne Pell of Rhode Island.

"The free ride is over," said Michael Mandelbaum, an analyst at the Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies. "They will have to articulate foreign policy

In addition to the conciliatory comments last week, Mr. Helms also sent Secretary of State Warren M. Christopher a letter assuring him of "my inwaging skillful parliamentary guerrilla tent to work with you in a spirit of warfare against what he perceived as mutual friendship and cooperation."

They've Rarely Had It So Bad

Outlook Is Grim as Democrats Ponder '96

to deny "media reports that the presi-dent's nominees will be at the mercy of a new Senate chairman who purportedly has made a career of delaying and/or obstructing large numbers of presidential nominations under the purview of the State Department."

Administration officials seized on the conciliatory part of Mr. Helms's message to argue that working with him will not necessarily be as difficult as some people assume.

"There were no surprises in the agenda he outlined in Raleigh," a se-nior State Department official said. "These always have been his issues, and he's always been very up-front in telling us where he stands on them."

Some people familiar with the foreign-policy process are less optimistic about the chances for such understanding.

The administration, they say, is unlikely to get very far with Mr. Helms on such issues as U.S. involvement in Haiti, greater U.S. financial aid to Russia or, as one source put it, "anything that smacks of multilateralism, whether it's the UN and its peacekeeping operations, contributions to the World Bank or U.S. adherence to GATT," the General Agreement on

A New Look in State Legislatures, Too

HOUSTON - Mirroring the party's huge gains in congressional and gubernatorial elections on Tuesday. Republicans made striking advances in state legislatures, taking control of at least 15 chambers that had been in Democratic

Republicans also picked up enough seats to cause an even split between the two parties in three other chambers, according to figures compiled by the National Conference of State Legislatures, a nonpartisan group based in Denver. In none of the 50 states did Democrats take control of a legislative house from Republicans. They achieved a net gain only in a handful of Northeastern states and Hawaii.

Analysts are already debating whether the election was a long-term national shift, or whether a volatile electorate could just as easily lurch back to the Democrats two years

In the North Carolina House of Representatives, a 78-to-42 Democratic edge was transformed into a 67-to-53 Republican margin. The Illinois House, where Democrats had a 67to-51 majority, is now 64 Republicans and 54 Democrats. Before the election, the Democrats held 64 chambers, the

Republicans 31, and 3 were tied. Nebraska's unicameral legislature is officially nonpartisan.

The Democrats will control 49 chambers and the Republicans 46: 3 appear tied. One of those, the California Assembly, could slip into Republican hands after a recount of one close

race. Republican control would oust the Democrat who has

been Assembly speaker for 14 years, Willie Brown, one of the nation's best-known and most powerful state legislators. For the first time since Reconstruction, the total number of

Republican state legislators (3,391) is now approaching the total of Democratic counterparts (3,847).

Gingrich Dismisses a 'Nonsense Issue'

WASHINGTON - Representative Newt Gingrich dismissed as "a nonsense issue" questions the House ethics committee has asked him about the role GOPAC, the political organization he heads, played in developing a college course he taught last year.

In a television interview, the Georgia Republican - expected to be elected speaker of the House after the Republican gains in Tuesday's election — said GOPAC "provided some initial ideas on who might be interested in helping finance the course and how we might go about that."

"That's all they did," he said.

Documents about the course cited by The Washington
Post last year and again Saturday show that GOPAC officials also helped develop the course and market it to Republican groups. The Post reported Saturday that the ethics panel told Mr. Gingrich in an Oct. 31 letter that the documents filed with a complaint by Ben Jones, the Democrat he defeated Tuesday, raised questions about whether the course at Kennesaw State College was exclusively educational, as Mr. Gingrich had said.

Mr. Gingrich, a former college history professor, taught the course, called Renewing American Civilization, on Saturday mornings without pay. The course was expensive to develop and distribute — about \$300,000 — because it was offered on videotape and by satellite, Mr. Gingrich said. Corporate and individual donors, some of whom also have contributed to GOPAC and Mr. Gingrich's campaigns, got tax deductions because they sent checks to the college's foundation.

Mr. Gingrich acknowledged that the ethics committee was reviewing Mr. Jones's complaint. "Every lawyer we've talked to says it is a nonsense issue," he said. "And you know. ever since I filed charges against Jim Wright, who had to resign as speaker, there's been. I think, a sincere desire to make sure that I'm investigated as thoroughly as possible."

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Representative Barney Frank, Democrat of Massachusetts, on the nature of campaigns: "Why should people expect politics to be any different from the rest of culture? It's not as if politics is deteriorating but everybody's watching Shake-



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request the presence of another officer, in

This Sporting Life: Emi Kijek, 79, who fired his first ever hole-in-one at Rehoboth, Massachusetts, dropped dead at the next tee. After shooting his ace, Mr. Kijek "was kind of happy, but he wasn't jumping with joy," said his playing partner, Morris Dumont. He ap-proached his tee-shot at the next hole, rolled his eyes, said "Oh, no," and collapsed. He had been suffering from high blood pressure.

A proposed city ordinance in Woodcliff Lake, New Jersey, would probabit unsportsmanlike conduct at public sports events - by players and spectators alike. This would include fighting, verbally abusing or threatening anyone else at the game. Most of the 5,300 residents say they favor the proposal. But the state's American Civil Liberties Union chapter said it would place an unconstitutional restraint on free speech. And one resident, Jimmy Fraser, 21, said, "You mean I couldn't say 'Kill the ump!' or anything else? What am I supposed to say if the ump makes a really bad call — Excuse me sir, but I dare say that last pitch was a strike, not a ball? Come on." International Herald Tribune.

two-year comeback effort, with let the Republicans deal with a weakened president, a resurreform of Congress and trying gent opposition and the everto implement that 'contract'

present danger of a civil war within the party. The situation confronting President Bill Clinton and his party has ominous historical antecedents. After less-devastating midterm losses than their party suffered last Tuesday, the last two Democrats in the Oval

By David S. Broder

WASHINGTON - The

Democratic Party faces a tough

Office, Lyndon B. Johnson and Jimmy Carter, tried to readjust their policies but failed to regain political equilibrium. The 1978 Democratic losses were relatively modest: 3 seats governorships. in the Senate and 15 in the House. In 1966, Democrats lost 4 Senate seats and 47 House

seats. In both cases, they kept control of Congress. White House aides dismissed the notion that in 1996 Mr. Clinton may follow Mr. Johnson, who retired rather than seek re-election in 1968, or Mr. Carter, who beat back a challenge by Senator Edward M. tipped against Mr. Clinton, es-Kennedy for nomination but pecially if the 1996 election lost the 1980 election to Ronald

<u> Reagan.</u> The applicable precedent, the presidential aides said, is Harry S. Truman, who saw Republicans capture Congress in 1946 and turned the tables on them by winning the 1948 election and restoring Democratic con-

Tony Coelho, a former House member and one of the president's political advisers. said: "There is no need to panic. On the breadbasket issues,

trol of Congre

to do is stay focused in those areas where he's credible, and they signed with the American people. Still, no one around the presi-

dent disputes that Mr. Clinton

NEWS ANALYSIS

faces a steeper climb to victory in 1996 than any of them anticipated before Tuesday's landslide produced Republican majorities in both houses of Congress and in the nation's

An NBC News-Wall Street Journal Poll taken immediately after the voting showed Mr. Clinton losing to the new Sen-ate majority leader, Bob Dole, Republican of Kansas, by 45 percent to 39 percent.

Analysis of Tuesday's returns demonstrates even more clearly how the electoral odds have turns out to be a two-way race. uncomplicated by Ross Perot or some other significant independent candidate.

In 1992, Mr. Clinton won a plurality victory, gaining 43 percent of the popular vote, to George Bush's 38 percent and Mr. Perot's 19 percent. In electoral college votes, Mr. Clinton prevailed over Mr. Bush, 370 to 168, with no state going to Mr.

For both parties, the main political game for the last two like reducing the deficit, in- years has been wooing Perot

creasing jobs and keeping the economy moving, the president is very credible. What he needs showed that the Republican Party came out on top by a lopsided margin. Fully 65 percent of those who said they had backed Mr. Perot in 1992 voted for Republican congressional candidates this year. But there is worse news for

the president from the 1994 election. Last time, Mr. Clinton carried 32 states and the District of Columbia. If you add up the 1994 votes for governor, senator and representatives in each of those 32 states, you find that 13 of Mr. Clinton's states would be in the Republican column and eight others too close to call. That yields an electoral vote count of Mr. Clinton, 81; undecided, 141, and Republican, 316.

This is obviously a theoretical exercise. White House officials point out that Mr. Clinton's approval rating in California and New York, the two largest states that this statistical model rates as toss-ups, is significantly higher than that of the Democratic gubernatorial candidates who lost last Tuesday. But some larger truths about the electoral map can hardly be disputed:

In 1992, Mr. Clinton carried five Southern and border states with 47 electoral votes. At this point, only his home state of Arkansas can be counted clearly on his side.

In the key Clinton states of the Midwest - including Illinois, Iowa, Michigan, Minneso-ta, Ohio and Wisconsin — Republicans won all but one of the 10 gubernatorial and senatorial contests, and in every state but Minnesota won the majority of the House vote as well.

Away From Politics

• Atmospheric monitors peered down on Earth from the space shuttle Atlantis on Sunday for a final round of experiments before the shuttle's scheduled landing. Atlantis is set to return to Florida on Monday morning after 11 days of scientific experiments focused on the shrinking ozone layer and how it is affected by the sun.

• Walgreen Co. is recalling thousands of cans of its store-brand Ant and Roach Killer because they can explode. A worker in a Walgreen store in Chicago needed stitches on the forehead when the top of the aerosol can blew off, a company spokesman said. Too much moisture in the cans may cause corrosion. which could cause the cans to burst.

 Picket lines came down after a tentative ment was reached for striking workers of San Francisco's two daily newspapers, the Examiner and the Chronicle. The proposal could end a strike that began Nov. 1, when 2,600 reporters, printers and delivery drivers walked off the job after more than a year of negotiations over salaries and other issues.

 A man walking between the cars of a subway in upper Manhattan fell onto the tracks and was killed when he was run over by the train, the police said. The man was identified as Wilson Nunez, 25, of the Bronx.

"Stagecoach": The 1939 original with John Wayne became a classic, but the 1966 redo with Ann-Margret and Bing Crosby was hor-In this Tuesday's

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KOREAN AIR ROUTE TO SERENITY By Margaret Shapiro

Washington Post Service
MOSCOW — Corruption has become so pervasive and deep-rooted here that it is jeopardizing the development of a free-market economy and souring many Russians on the idea of democracy, according to government officials, police in-

vestigators and opinion polls. Tax inspectors, factory managers, police officers, soldiers and politicians at all levels, and in ail regions of Russia, have been implicated in recent corruption scandals. But investigators and business officials say the public revelations are just the tip of the iceberg.

Russia's peculiar post-Communist brew of easy money, instability, outdated laws and

at-any-cost ideology. At the same time, the old state bureaucracy set up by the Communists, having fended off all efforts to reduce its numbers and powers dramatically, blatantly uses a vast array of licenses, approvals and mandatory signatures to enrich itself,

businessmen and officials said. The result is widespread cynicism toward those in power, including President Boris N. Yeltsin, and growing anger at a new system that seems to reward most those who defy the

The optimism and hope that

Ella Pamphilova, a pro-reform member of Parliament and anti-corruption crusader, said: "People have lost all their faith. They don't believe in anyone. But a society without ideals, without morality, dies."

Yuri Shchekochikhin, an investigative journalist, said: "In the past there were rules to the game, good or bad or whatever. are no rules, and there is no

A presidential report on crime and corruption determined this year that one-third greeted the 1991 collapse of of all retail trade earnings went communism and the embrace of for "corrupt purposes." Rusthe West have mostly faded, re- sian consumers, in other words,

for bribery and extortion. Many Russians also come into more direct contact with they or a relative had been forced to pay a bribe to a goverament official at some point in the last three years.

Russians have become adept at the art of figuring out when someone expects money under the table. When a bureaucrat or And there was fear. Now there traffic policeman throws up a barrier, it often means they are waiting for the citizen to suggest that the issue be settled between us." After that, the bargaining on a price begins.

No area of the economy or region is immune. Tax breaks have been sold

responding to a recent poll said banks for bribes, new state ner of any business deal. credits given to defense factories for kickbacks and Mos- than simple bribery these days. cow property leases extended

for cash. what we do," a Russian banker

than you believe," he added, "are very corrupt, very much owned by relatives and friends.

their payroll, according to cor- monthly interest. ruption investigators and news

In Moscow, two top prosecutors were recently revealed to have ties with organized crime. And an official of a KGB successor agency, the Federal Counterintelligence Service, was recently arrested for selling

his services to crime groups. "Everywhere, these gangs have informers in the militia, the traffic police and banks," said Pyotr Filippov, author of a presidential report on crime and corruption presented to

Mr. Yeltsin last winter. Bribery has become so much the norm that the daily Komsomolskava Pravda was able to compile a price list of Moscow

weeks or months of red tape: up sources were "being stolen." to \$2,000. To get the documents, stamps and signatures required to open a bank: \$1,200. But to open a bank and illegally register it as a mere s, to skirt banking regulations: \$300,000.

For a non-Muscovite to obtain a Moscow residency permit -a Soviet-era requirement still in effect — and the right to purchase a three-room apart-ment here: as much as \$35,000. That amount does not include the cost of the apartment.

St. Petersburg is no better, according to a former city official. Dismissed from his job, he recently told Pravda that 70 percent of the officials working in the mayor's office were on the take. Last week, a local prosecutor in St. Petersburg was convicted of taking a \$25,000 bribe.

long-suppressed desire to live placed by a feeling that only well has bred a brazen get-rich- suckers play by the rules. for bribery and extortion. for dollars, lucrative timber ruption by taking on Russian rights given out for Volvos, partners, who handle all conrights given out for Volvos, partners, who handle all con-criminal investigations halted tacts with local authorities. for payoffs, federal government. Others simply make the local corruption. Nearly half of those funds deposited in certain government a legitimate part-But corruption is much more

> News accounts, interviews and investigative reports reveal "We bribe them — that's that managers of collapsing fac-hat we do," a Russian banker tories, which in many cases have not paid their workers in "Top-level government min- months, have siphoned off isters are much less corrupt company funds to buy Volvos, lease vacation villas in the Babut the middle-level officials hamas and fund businesses

> Some managers, after beg-Organized-crime groups are ging for new government cred-the most pervasive bribe payers, its to pay workers' salaries, have with prosecutors, policemen parked the money in bank acand government officials on counts in order to pocket the

According to First Deputy Prime Minister Anatoli B. Chubais, who oversees the privatization of Russia's factories, "at least" 50 percent of the country's cripping nonpayment crisis — in which most factories are on the brink of bankruptcy because they do not get paid what they are owed and do not have the money to pay their debts — is the result of embezzlement and financial manipulations by managers.

"As long as 100 to 200 general directors who have embezzled tens of millions of rubles from the state are not in prison, no macroeconomic concepts will help us," Mr. Chubais said.

bribes last year:

To register a foreign joint the military. Mr. Filippov said venture swiftly, and without one-third of the military's re-

Perhaps the most egregious examples of military corruption apparently occurred in Russia's Western Forces Group, which until its return to Russia this summer was based in Eastern Germany.

A report given to Mr. Yeltsin more than a year ago about corruption in the Western Forces Group found that several top generals had made millions of dollars by buying food, ciga-rettes and liquor at cheap on-base prices and then transporting the goods as military supplies to Poland and Russia, where they were sold for much higher, free-market prices.

The generals were also reportedly selling oil products and electronics from the army's stocks on the German black market. The money from these Foreign companies are not transactions was deposited in immune, although many insu- bank accounts in Finland, Switlate themselves from the cor-zerland and the United States.

POLICY: A Warning From Dole in the face of any adverse trade rulings by the newly constituted World Trade Organization. that the Republicans who con-

A young Moscow resident taking to the streets with her

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hard times endure for most people in the Russian capital,

much different view on areas

North Korea," Mr. Dole said

all U.S. troops should be with-

drawn from Haiti by Nov. 24,

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legislation that Republicans are

drafting that would have to be

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trol the Congress may have a Mr. Dole has long supported a unilateral lifting of the United like Haiti and Bosnia and Nations arms embargo on Bosnia and believes the Bosnian Sunday as he urged the White House to "be prepared" for government has a right to defend itself under the United questions from new Republican Nations Charter. Although the administration last week acced-In particular, Mr. Dole said ed to congressional demands and halted U.S. enforcement of the embargo, some senators Thanksgiving Day; that the want the United States to go a arms embargo on Bosnia step further and supply Muslim should be lifted entirely, and

that the recent agreement on The United Nations, Mr. North Korea's nuclear program Dole said, is "trying to dictate policy in Bosnia instead of In addition, Mr. Dole said he NATO dictating policy." hoped to discuss with Mr. Clinton's chief trade adviser, Mick-

forces with arms.

On North Korea's nuclear program, Mr. Dole suggested that Congress "investigate whether we got a good deal" when the Chinton administration negotiated a freeze of Pyongyang's nuclear program in return for furnishing North That new language, in separate legislation, would presumably enunciate U.S. sovereignty

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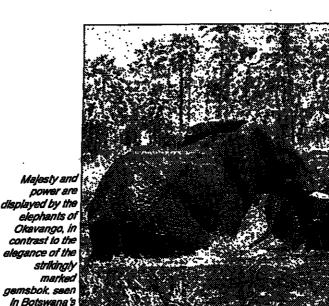
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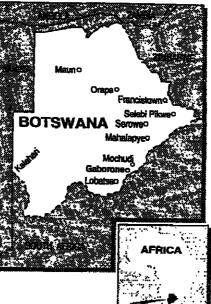
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By Raymond Bonner New York Times Service
KIGALI, Rwanda — The death of Rwanda's president in a plane crash last April touched off a frenzy of killing: several hundred thousand people, most

of them Tutsi, were slaughtered, mostly by Hutu soldiers and militia, in a matter of weeks. It was widely assumed, but never conclusively established. that the plane carrying President Juvenal Habyanmana was shot down. In any event, those responsible have never been

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has emerged — much of it from extremist Hutu killed the presi-a Belgian investigation — to dent, himself a Hutu, because link is irrelevant, that the barrisupport the theory that extremand that foreigners were also most likely involved, though whom the foreigners were tions of Belgian or French comworking for remains a mystery. plicity.

Any inquiry inevitably confronts several theories for the plane crash. One widely held view is that it was the work of the Rwandan Patriotic Front, the Tutsi-led

feated and replaced the Hutuled government.

he was about to bring the Patriist Hutu carried out the attack, otic Front into the government, as required by a peace plan. There have also been allega-

> All the theories are based on circumstantial evidence and political intrigue.

Those who believe the Hutu were responsible, for example, base their case generally on the rebel army that has since defact that immediately after the plane crash, the army put up barricades around the capital The other assumption is that and the killing began.

cades went up quickly because the army was in the middle of a civil war, the capital was tense and when the president was killed the army simply reacted.

Like many such assassinations, the case will probably never be resolved to everyone's satisfaction.

The plane carrying the Rwandan president crashed on the evening of April 6. That morning, Paul Henrion, a Belgian national who has lived most of his 60-some years in Rwanda, was in a car on the

Others counter that such a outskirts of Kigali. As he drove past the village of Masaka, he noticed a military vehicle with a piece of artillery behind it.

In an interview here, Mr. Henrion said the sighting of the artillery piece surprised him because under a peace agreement then in effect, heavy weapons were to be kept in compounds. So he ordered his driver to slow

He then noticed that among the dozen soldiers standing there, two were wearing Rwandan Army uniforms that were newer than the uniforms of the other soldiers.

Each had a weapon slung over his shoulder. These weapons were about 4-feet long and covered, Mr. Henrion said. But what stood out most, he said, was the manner in which they wore their berets. Rwandan soldiers wear their berets cocked over the right eye. These two soldiers, he said, were wearing theirs over the left.

Later that evening, he said, he drove past the same spot and the military post was still there. Forty-five minutes later, Mr. Habyarimana's plane, which was also carrying Burundi's president, Cyprien Ntaryamira,

The missiles believed to have brought it down were fired from a shallow valley a few hundred yards from where Mr. Henrion had seen the soldiers, according to villagers in Masaka, who in interviews said they had seen flashes of missiles being fired and the plane go down.

Belgian authorities, who have undertaken the most thorough investigation of the crash, have also determined that the missiles were fired from Masaka.

Based on the evidence they have gathered so far, the Belgians are convinced that extremist Hutu were responsible. According to Belgian military experts, the plane was hit by two surface-to-air missiles, probably Soviet-made SAM-7s.

In the view of former a Rwandan defense minister, James Gasana, the presence of such weapons would support the theory that foreigners were involved because the Rwandan government had never purchased surface-to-air missiles and Rwandan soldiers did not have training in their use.

The Belgians believe that the two soldiers Mr. Hernion saw were French, possibly from Martinique or Guadeloupe. French soldiers wear their berets cocked over their left eye. When on training missions in a foreign country, they wear uniforms of the host country.

volved, they could have been acting as mercenaries, not under orders of French officials.

The Belgian investigators also have a two-page, hand-written letter dated May 29 in which the writer says that two French soldiers were involved in the plot to kill the president.

The writer said the Frenchmen were working with the Coalition for the Defense of the Republic, a radical Hutu party. He said the president was killed "to spark off the carnage."

He said that he was a senior militia commander and that his right arm had been torn off. "No doubt, I am going to die soon for lack of treatment," he wrote, signing only his first name.

The letter was first delivered to a Belgian journalist, Colette Braeckman, who gave it to the Belgian investigators. It said that very few people were aware of the plot, other than four members of the Coalition, including himself, and the two Frenchmen.

"I will not give the names of the Rwandans, but one of the Frenchmen is called Etienne, I think," he wrote. In interviews here, three Eu-

ropeans living in Kigali said they had known a French soldier named "Etienne." They said he had been stationed in Burundi, where he was involved in training the presidential

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Angola Offers a Cease-Fire as Pact Signing Nears

LUANDA, Angola — The Angolan government said Sunday that it was ready to declare an immediate truce in the nearly two-decade-long war with UNITA rebels, the state radio reported.

"The Angolan government declares solemnly its readiness for the immediate establishment of a truce across the whole country." the radio said, quoting a government statement. The statement said a planned meeting of government and re-bel leaders could discuss the timing of a A military delegation from UNITA, the National Union for the Total Independence of Angola, was due in Lusaka as the statement was issued.

The rebel movement has repeatedly said a government assault on its central highlands bastion of Huambo, which is now in government hands, had cast doubt on the peace process and the formal signing of the accords.

On Saturday, the government denied reports it had agreed to halt fighting with UNITA ahead of a formal cease-fire accord involving both sides.

The two sides initialed a peace agreement in Lusaka on Oct. 31 after 11 months of talks. calling for a formal signing Tuesday to be followed by a cease-fire Thursday.

State radio said earlier that Angolan troops captured the northern town of Mbanza Congo from UNITA in the latest heavy fighting.

African diplomats said Sunday they expected President José Eduardo dos Santos and the UNITA leader, Jonas Savimbi, to meet Tuesday to sign the

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Sarajevo Hotel Hit By Shelling as War Rages Across Bosnia

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herze- allies on the other. govina — Government troops fronts Sunday, and five projec-

Local police said five tank rounds from Grbavica, a sub-urb held by Serbs, hit the Holiporters and other visitors to the conflict since World War II. Bosnian capital stay. But a United Nations peacekeeper from France said the building was apparently targeted by rocket-propelled grenades,

which carry a lesser punch.
UN and local fire fighters were battling a second-floor blaze at the hotel, and one UN fire fighter was slightly wounded by shrapnel. There was no word on other casualties.

Meanwhile, the Muslim-led government in Sarajevo hailed the U.S. decision to stop blocking Bosnia-bound arms shipments in the Adriatic Sea.

But officials in Washington and Europe appeared to agree that the policy change, effective Sunday night, was unlikely to provide any boost to Bosnia's army, which has received most of its arms imports by air. Out of 42,000 vessels challenged in the Adriatic by NATO ships over the past two years, only three were found to be ferrying arms to Bosnia, according to the Pentagon.

"We don't see massive amounts of arms coming in as a result," Ejup Ganic, the Bosnian vice president, said of the

Congress voted last summer ment of the arms ban if Bosnian Serbs by this month had not signed a peace settlement bro-kered by the United States, Russia and three West Europe-an countries. But senior U.S. Washington's frustration over ineffective allied air strikes and Europe's failure to take stronger measures that would compei Bosnian Serbs to accept the peace agreement.

The proposed agreement would split Bosnia's territory roughly equally between Serbian nationalists on one side and

away from reliance on oil and gas reserves.

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Even though the ban on battled Bosnian Serbs on three sending arms to the area has been increasingly flouted, the tiles hit the Sarajevo hotel hous- two-year-old air and naval paing most foreigners, setting part trols in the Adriatic by the United States and several European states were considered a highly important symbol of their will to work together in day Inn, where most foreign re- containing Europe's bloodiest

Under the new policy, U.S. ships will be able to challenge foreign cargo vessels and send inspection teams aboard. But if arms bound for the Bosnian government are discovered. U.S. sailors can no longer divert the vessel or report the finding through North Atlantic Treaty Organization channels.

Congress also has required President Bill Clinton to submit a plan for training Bosnian forces outside Bosnia.

U.S. officials said American forces would remain engaged in a range of other NATO actions related to the war, including enforcement of the remaining embargo against Serbia and the "no-fly" zone over Bosnia.

Battles were being fought in Bosnia's northeast, extreme northwest and the southwest, where government troops are trying to push Serbian forces farther back from the major highway linking the Adriatic coast with Sarajevo, and farther north to the government stronghold of Tuzla. Bosnian radio reported gains by government troops east of Mostar and south of Konjic, saying more than 100 Serbian troops were killed.

The Serbs also seemed to be to stop funding U.S. enforce- in trouble in northeast Bosnia, near Bijeljina. A reliable source who asked not to be named, said the Muslim-led govern-ment army had encircled Bosnian Serbs on Mount Majevica and a television relay tower diplomats also portrayed last about 10 kilometers (6 miles) week's action as reflecting east of Tuzla that the Serbs were protecting. The source, speaking after visiting the re-gion, said Serbian volunteers 18 years old and over from region-al towns had gone to try to break the Bosnian Army's ring around the tower, an important part of the Serbian communica-tion network.

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President Clinton taking up the saxophone for a lunchtime gig at the presidential palace in Manila, en route to Jakarta.

Q & A: Free Trade Push at the Summit

When President Bill Clinton and other leaders of the 18 members of APEC, the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation forum, hold their second informal summit meeting on Tuesday in Bogor, Indonesia, they will have before them a blueprint for reform recommended by a group of senior business executives from the region. Les McCraw, chief executive of America's Flu-or Corp. who was a co-chairman of the group known as the Pacific Business Forum, discussed the major issues in Jakarta on Sunday with Michael Richardson of the International Herald Tribune.

Q. What do you hope will come out of the Bogor summit?
A. We recommended that no later

than this year, the APEC leaders should adopt the goal of achieving free trade and investment liberalization by the year 2002 for the developed members of the group, and no later than 2010 for all APEC economies. I think business overall is looking for free trade to be defined as zero tariffs over time.

We felt the program should be aggressive because this is the way business people think. Usually, if you set a high goal, you can make much more progress than if you set a softer goal. Fixing a firm date would send a signal to those who have to develop policy that the sooner it can be done the better.

We also call for an immediate standstill to the introduction of new trade and investment barriers. If the APEC leaders respond positively to that, it would provide a strong start to the whole liberalization process.

Q. Are you concerned at reports of some resistance to setting a firm date for freeing up trade and investment, even if it is pushed back to 2020?

A. If APEC is to succeed and become more than just another international talk forum, the leaders in Bogor must strongly embrace a move toward free trade and vestment liberalization. They must also undertake practical efforts to facilitate the conduct of business in the re-

There is no time for delay. The private sector is already moving in this direction and governments must essentially catch up with their business communities.

Q. APEC ministers on Saturday adopted an investment code for the region, but it was not binding. Is that real

A. We see this as a first step —a floor, not a ceiling. It can be improved and strengthened each year.

All APEC economies are competing with countries outside the region for investment dollars. At the end of the day, these dollars will flow to where barriers and red-tape are minimal, and where every investor operates under the same

Q. You said that governments must intensify practical efforts to encourage business enterprise in Asia and the Pacific. What do you mean?

A. There are a lot of initiatives that could be undertaken. Many regulatory and administrative systems unnecessarily drive up the cost of doing business. As a result, business resources are diverted to dealing with systemic inefficiencies

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What seems clear, however, is

fierce loyalty from his many fol-

lowers, who call him "Babo," or

Mr. Abdic lives in nearby

radio station supported by Serbs who see him as a useful

ally against Bosnia's Muslim

"We want peace, just peace we do not want to make

war," said Hajrudin Hodzic, a

schoolteacher who fled with his wife, Suada, and their 3-month-old son, Alan, when the Bosni-

an Army took Mr. Abdic's stronghold of Velika Kladusa.

govic when he said he wanted a better life for us," he said, "But

then we saw he wanted an Is-

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instead of going into business expansion and job creation.

There should be transparency in administrative systems, rules and regulations. Entry procedures for goods, services and professional personnel should be simplified, product standards harmonized and intellectual property protec-

There should also be mechanisms for settling commercial disputes between overnments and businesses in the Asiascific region. At present, we waste a lot of time and money taking commercial

disputes outside the region. We also see a role for APEC in encouraging good business ethics and efficien-cies in government procurement prac-

· Q. How else can APEC help the private sector?

A. APEC can solidify the economic and political security business needs to grow and flourish. It can also encourage development of stable market econo-

This was made quite clear in a recent study in which political and economic security was ranked as the highest concern by 53 percent of the American CEOs surveyed.

APEC provides an opportunity to construct fair and transparent trade and investment rules which business needs to function most efficiently - everyone playing the same game by the same rules. APEC also provides a forum in which members such as the U.S., Japan and China as well as less powerful economies can engage with each other in constructive discussions, not destructive confron-

Clinton Campaigns To Reassure Asians

He Sees No Change in Policy

By Thomas Lippman
Washington Past Service
JAKARTA — Campaigning to reassure Asian leaders that his international agenda will survive last week's election, President Bill Clinton asserted Sunday that he did not expect the Republican takeover of Congress to have "any impact on our foreign policy.

The United States does not have a parliamentary system, in which a change of party control in the legislature forces a change in government, Mr. Clinton said at a joint press conference in Manila with Pres-ident Fidel V. Ramos. The power of the president to represent the United States in foreign affairs, he said, "is quite clear."

Seeking to calm Asian leaders about U.S. policy has become a major item on what was already an ambitious agenda a mostly ceremonial and sol-for Mr. Clinton's Asia trip. emn day in Manila that fea-While he expected to leave behind the domestic political rebuff he suffered in last week's voting to concentrate on foreign policy, he is finding that he cannot escape it entirely because Asian officials and journalists want to talk about it.

Secretary of State Warren M. Christopher, also touring the region, has been peppered with estions from every foreign minister he has met about whether Mr. Clinton can carry through on such initiatives as the nuclear agreement with North Korea, said Michael McCurry, the State Department spokesman.

They want "reassurance" before their bosses — including the leaders of China, South Korea, Japan and Indonesia meet separately with Mr. Clin-

ton here this week, Mr.

McCurry said.

"They want to know," he said, "that we intend to remain engaged in the area, and they were interested in the points of

commonality on foreign policy between us and the Republi-This "commonality," such as a commitment to expanding free trade and U.S. exports, has quickly become a standard theme to argue that much of the administration's foreign policy agenda is acceptable to the

newly assertive Republicans. "I'm convinced that what I'm doing is in the interest of all the American people without regard to party and is supported by leaders of both parties," Mr.

Clinton said. Mr. Clinton flew here Saturday night to begin the business part of his Asian program after a mostly ceremonial and soltured visits to World War II battle sites and tributes to soldiers who fell in that conflict."

While Mr. Clinton was solemn as he visited the U.S. military cemetery in Manila, the largest outside the United States, and emotional as he recounted seeing the grave of a soldier from Arkansas, his home state, he was also relaxed enough to entertain his hosts with his skills on the saxo-

At a "state huncheon" with Mr. Ramos, attended by Corazon C. Aquino, the former president, Mr. Clinton sat in for a few numbers with a jazz band called The Executives, directed by a former foreign minister, Raul Manglapas. The selec-"Take the A Train" and "Sum-

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occupying the embassy compound.

They were making a number of demands, including U.S. intervention to secure the release of the Timorese resistance leader Xanana Gusmão, who is serving a 20-year prison term for actions against the state of Indonesia and illegal possession of firearms.

Mr. Christopher said that the United States would, as in the past, be "raising questions" **BOSNIA:** Strange, Sinister Horror about East Timor in bilateral meetings with Indonesian officials during a state visit Mr. Clinton will make on Wednesday after the APEC meeting.

But the secretary emphasized that America had much in common with Indonesia, including important trade, security and economic interests.

"So we will raise the questions as we have in the past, at about the same level of intensi-The Bosnian authorities, who ty as we have in the past," Mr. Christopher said.

The U.S. Embassy said Sunmen a six-month reprieve from day that despite assurances to military duty, say most of these the demonstrators from several Abdic supporters have been senior Indonesian officials that brainwashed or forced into obe- there would be no arrests or dience. Their argument is partly retaliation as a result of their action, the group was still refusing to leave the compound.
Foreign Minister Ali Alatas concerns to the sidelines.

acting in a way that made re-

We support Abdic because he wants to open things up."

Mr. Hodzic and his family Alija Izetbegovic and more interested in commerce than war. share a small tent with Sabira Whether Mr. Abdic, who was Beganovic, another Muslim refconvicted of fraud by the Yugougee who has a 2-month-old slav authorities in the 1980s, is a son. Her husband, captured by tyrant bent only on his own the V Corps last August, has enrichment or a benevolent adnever seen the boy. vocate of business and trade as "With Izetbegovic," she

we can never return home." have invited all the refugees to that Mr. Abdic commands return home and offered all "Grandpa," and fled with him out of the Bihac pocket into this bleak area of Croatia under the

supported by UN officials.
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script will go on public view. I

will do everything I can to see that it is displayed at our muse-

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In June, Mr. Gates told the

annual conference of the Asso-ciation of Art Museum Direc-

tors, meeting in Seattle, about his vision of sending artistic in-

ages and literature into homes

The Associated Press reported.

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But she added that soldiers Mr. Clinton said that he from the V Corps, commanded by Atif Dudakovic, had been brace a common direction, setacting in a way that made re-turn unattractive, moving into trade among all our econo-

On a related issue, Mr. Clin-

quite ready" to work with Mr.
Clinton to see that GATT is approved before the year of the

Swedes Say Yes

Sunday, Mr. Dole said it ap-peared to "a lot of American people" that "we're sort of being sold down the river" with

bility that he would be "very supportive" if language can be worked out that would address and schools through computer, his and many other Republicans' concerns about how the treaty could undermine U.S. sovereignty in trade disputes.

Mr. Dole is now working

with Mr. Kantor on language that would deal with this issue and be separate from the GATT accord. Yet even with a Republican majority in the Senate, approval for such a document remains uncertain.

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said that the Timorese in the

administration officials have made it clear in recent days that the United States wants to concentrate on expanding its economic and commercial ties with Indonesia and other APEC. members to take advantage or the rapid economic growth in the Asia-Pacific region. Washington hopes the Bogor

summit meeting will produce agreement on working toward free and open trade and investment in the region by 2020.

In a speech Thursday setting the tone for his visit to Asia. Mr. Clinton asserted that U.S. economic engagement would help improve human rights.

"I don't think we have to choose between increasing trade and fostering human rights and open societies." he and over again that commerce can promote cooperation, that more prosperity helps to open societies to the world."

But a new report on human rights in the APEC region by Human Rights Watch/Asia, the New York-based advocacy group, says that commercial diplomacy in the Asia-Pacific region is pushing human rights

Congress is to convene later this Sead Kajtazovic, Mr. Abdic's month to vote on legislation chief representative at the Batnoga camp, challenged Mr. Songwa to find a single Muslim leader in the Senate, Bob Dole

In a broadcast interview on

try to resolve the questions that a lot of real hard-working Americans have, including many, many people in agricul-But he did hold out the possi-

this area. "Without a pass and other APEC leaders will signed by Abdic, they cannot return."

But she added that soldiers

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a stunning political setback last Tuesday that saw Republicans gain control of both houses of Congress.

Mr. Clinton said that the Congress.

"The congressional vote on the GATT will be the defining decision for America as we head into the next century,"
Mr. Clinton said in his weekly
radio address. "And I believe
the members of both parties will put aside partisanship to do what's right for our country and

He said the accord would help create hundreds of thou-sands of high-paying U.S. jobs. (AP, Reuters)

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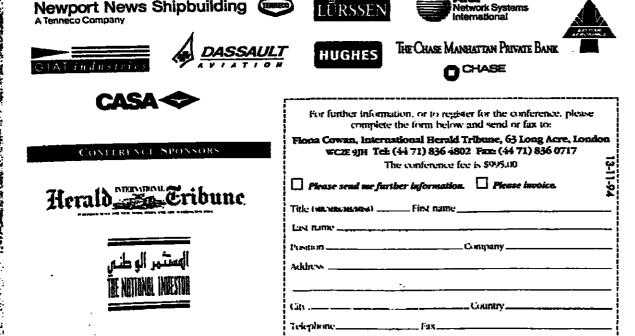
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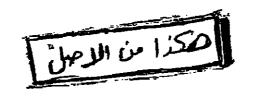
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The "yes" proponents countered that it was simply too late in the day for such contentions. Sweden was already immersed in the global market. The countered that it was simply too late in the day for such contentions. try should participate in the decision making, they said, or the decisions would be made for it. "Yes" voters were concentrated

in the more urban regions, around Stockholm and Maimo.
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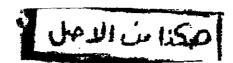
Sweden would have only 4 votes





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Carmen McRae, 74, Jazz Stylist, Is Dead

Policy

BEVERLY HILLS, Califormia — Carmen McRae, 74, the veteran jazz stylist hailed for her innovative scat singing and sensuous phrasing, died Thurs-

She had been bedridden since suffering respiratory failure four years ago during a show at the Blue Note nightclub in New York. She never performed

In December, the National Endowment for the Arts named her one of its masters of jazz, hailing her "instinctive feeling for rhythm, her skillful vocal technique, her innovative scat singing, as well as her relaxed manner of presentation."

A pianist as well as a singer, she was one of jazz's bestknown women performers. Her repertoire included "God Bless the Child," a song closely associated with her biggest influence, Billie Holiday; Cole Porter's "I've Got You Under My Skin"; Billy Joel's "New York State of Mind," and Dave Brubeck's "Take Five."

John Volpe, an Ex-Governor Of Massachusetts and Envoy

BOSTON (Reuters) - John Volpe, 85, a former Massachusetts governor who was also. Secretary of Transportation and ambassador to Italy under President Richard Nixon, died on Friday, police said Saturday. Louis Nizer, Trial Lawyer

For Many Celebrity Clients NEW YORK (NYT) - Louis Nizer, 92, the shrewd and voluble trial lawyer who made a career of representing famous people in famous cases and whose autobiography, "My Life" in Court," was a best-seller, died here Thursday.

His roster of celebrity clients included Johnny Carson, Charlie Chaplin, Salvador Dali, Eddie Fisher, Alan Jay Lerner. Mac West, the basketball star Julius Erving and Spyros Skouros, once board chairman of 20th Century Fox films.

Dr. James Winston Watts, Brain Lobotomy Pioneer

WASHINGTON (AP) -Dr. James Winston Watts, 90, a neurosurgeon who helped develop the frontal lobotomy of the brain to relieve severe pain and mental disorder, died of cancer here Nov. 7.

With a colleague, Dr. Walter Freeman, Dr. Watts performed the first lobotomy - in which the frontal lobes of the brain are removed — in the United States in 1936. By 1950, they had performed the procedure more than 1,000 times

Up to 50,000 lobotomies were performed in the United States until 1960, when the development of tranquilizers and anti-depressants made the surgery unnecessary, and it was phased out of practice.

Chief S. O. Adebo, 80, a pioneer of the Nigerian civil service, former United Nations endied of a stroke Sept. 30 in and even some original ones. merely such ephemeral phenom-Abeokuta, Nigeria.

Paul Frame, 80, who illustrated some 200 children's books, including the Nancy Drew and Hardy Boys adventure series, died Tuesday in New York.

Michael O'Donoghue, 54, one of the original writers for TV's "Saturday Night Live," died Tuesday of a massive cerebral hemorrhage, said his wife, Cheryl Hardwick.

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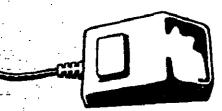
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BOOKS

COMPLETE & UTTER FAILURE: A Celebration of Also-rans, Runners-up, Nev-

By Neil Steinberg. 258 pages. \$17.50. Doubleday.

Reviewed by Jonathan Yardley

as to make hen's teeth seem and Utter Failure" a good, original book that is also inordinately entertaining.

published a reasonably comprehensive book about the causes, or should be done." nature and history of failure. word of it has not reached this quarter; nominations are invited. To be sure, Steinberg mentions in his brief bibliography a publication of seven years ago called "No Way: The Nature of the Impossible," a collection of essays that he calls "a broad and intriguing primer for this rarely addressed topic," but he says that the quality of its articles is inconsistent. That,

though, appears to be it. voy and university president, and perceptive things to say, sal." This helps explain not

One, which is not original but ena as Michael Jackson and Macertainly is true, is that "the donna but also the failure of second-placers and also-rans many authors to meet the expec-[are] sometimes better, more in- tations raised by the most sucteresting, even more worthy. cessful of their books; this has than those whose combination led not merely to crippling cases of luck, effort and circumstance of writer's block but also to alcofor some reason brought suc-holism, depression and suicide. cess." Another, which does have the whiff of originality and

ORIGINAL ideas for books. Mount Everest, is that "pro- chain that passes itself off as a contribution to American educarare; good books are rarer still; est . . the way more and tion. Steinberg — who works as good, original books are so rare more people play the lottery as a reporter for the Chicago Sunit rolls over week by week, even Times - followed the 1993 bec commonplace. So raise a glass though their minuscule odds of from early competitions in Chiin celebration of Neil Steinberg, winning are no better." Yet ancago to the championship in
who has written in "Complete other, which Steinberg calls "a Washington, where a single winconvenient intellectual tool for ner was crowned after the elimicategorizing folly," is the syn-nation of 9 million losers. By the drome that he defines as fol- end of the experience Steinberg If anyone else previously lows: "The belief that because had become thoroughly consomething can be done, it will

In examining the rich history of corporate failure. Steinberg does acknowledge that failure can in time lead to success, citing such examples of slow liftoff as Jell-O, Kleenex, Pepsi-Cola and Kotex, which is why he declines to pronounce the last rites for laser disks or video telephones. By the same token success can turn into failure: "The heightening of expectation after success happens constantly, even though failure to match exceptional past Steinberg has some useful performance is almost a univer-

Pause for a moment to contemplate the National Spelling is prompted by the long series Bee, a publicity campaign for the of unsuccessful assaults on Scripps-Howard newspaper temptuous not merely of the bee itself but of the mantra routinely

Jonathan Yardley is on the staff of The Washington Post.

chanted by its adult managers to

the effect that every entrant is a

Steinberg may be a humorist

bordering on a wit, but he is

also steeped in the great ines-

capable truth about the human

condition. As he puts it:

'Aren't decay and loss and

oblivion the way of the world?

Science tells us that, no matter

who wins the National Book

Award, eventually we'll all be

part of the same lukewarm, uni-

fact that Mick Jagger was big,

and Andy Pratt wasn't, won't

matter a lot then." Whether it is

really true that nobody loses all

the time is for the deep thinkers

to debate, but this is certain:

We all lose in the end.

winner.

• Maria Cristina Hamel, an Italian-Austrian designer living in Milan, is reading "Geschich-ten vom lieben Gott" ("Stories of

God") by Rainer Maria Rilke.
"It's a collection of short stories, written as if for children, about how God manifests himself. Because the stories are all set in Russia it reads almost like a travel book."

(Brandon Mitchener, IHT)



BRIDGE

By Alan Truscott N the diagramed deal the obvious contracts are seven notrump and seven clubs, both of which succeed if the clubs split 3-2 and fail otherwise. They have a 68 percent chance. But once you think of seven diamonds, it should be clear that this is superior. Since a 13th trick can be maneuvered by ruffing a heart, the club split is not necessary. The contract will formly distributed soup. The fail only if the diamonds split worse than 6-2, or if there is an opening ruff. The contract has an 81 percent chance. Note that it would be worse without the diamond ten, for an opening club lead, from a four-card holding or a singleton, would

complicate matters. Those percentages fall sharp-ly if opposing bidding suggest bad breaks, as it did when the deal was played. West's two-diamond cue-bid showed the major suits. North eventually hit on the desirable seven-diamond contract. This was partly because his partner was eventually forced into rebidding his four-card suit by the cue-bid of three hearts.

The response of five diamonds to four no-trump showed one key card, the club

ace. Then six hearts in response to five no-trump showed two key cards on the next level, which North could tell were the spade king and the diamond queen. He therefore took a shot at seven diamonds, hitting the

After the lead of the heart queen, won in dummy, South had no difficulty in maneuvering a heart ruff and drawing trumps to make the grand slam.

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Stop Arming the Aegean

into Greece and Turkey, making them two of the biggest recipients of America's lethal largesse. The United Nations arms registry reveals that in 1992 and 1993 the United States turned over 1,163 tanks and 23 combat aircraft to Greece and 1,509 tanks, 54 fighter planes and 28 heavily armed attack helicopters to Turkey. All of these weapons were slated for reduction under the 1990 treaty on conventional forces in Europe. Instead of scrapping them, the Pentagon

is giving them away. What does the United States get in return? Greece continues to impose an economic embargo on Macedonia, threat-ening to destabilize the newly independent Balkan republic and jeopardize the lives of hundreds of American peacekeepers stationed there. The Greek government has muzzled dissent at home, reports Human Rights Watch, rounding up its own citizens who dare to speak out against its machinations in Macedonia.

Turkey, meanwhile, still provides bases for U.S. aircraft to patrol northern Iraq and protect Iraqi Kurds, but it is not enforcing the UN embargo on Iraq vigor-

In recent years U.S. arms have poured ously. At the same time, Turkey has escanority, turning southeastern Turkey into a free-fire zone. Turkey may have used U.S.made Cobra attack helicopters and F-16 fighter planes to depopulate entire villages in an effort to suppress Kurdish separatists. It is also using smaller but no less lethal U.S. arms, not accounted for in the UN registry. So far the fighting has claimed 13,000 lives, according to Human Rights Watch, and forced an equal number of Knrds to seek refuge in Iraq.

The Parliament of Turkish-controlled northern Cyprus, with Ankara's encouragement, has hardened its stance on a settlement in Cyprus. With no resolution in sight there and the ever present risk of a wider war in the Balkans, there is a danger that Athens and Ankara may again come to blows, turning U.S. arms on each other.

The Pentagon euphemistically refers to the flow of arms to Greece and Turkey as "cascading" — as if it were doing what comes naturally. Yet there is nothing nat-ural about arming allies who act increas-ingly against U.S. interests. The flow of arms to both countries should cease.

- THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Paying for Illegal Aliens

The failure of the federal government either to control illegal immigration or to accept the burden of providing services needed by the millions of individuals who are in America without documents has produced a backlash in the states. Last Tuesday, Californians overwhelmingly approved Proposition 187, a ballot item barring illegal aliens from receiving al-most all publicly funded benefits, including schooling. The initiative will not be enforced right away because, as expected, it has been challenged in both state and federal court. In both forums, judges have issued temporary restraining orders for-bidding implementation until the courts can sort out the constitutional question of whether a state can regulate at all in the area of immigration, which is the responsibility of the federal government.

California and a handful of other

states do have a genuine problem - and a big one - coping with millions of undocumented residents who need services. Popular support of Proposition 187 cannot automatically be attributed to racism or xenophobia, as many people seem to do; frustration with the federal government's failure to effectively enforce the immigration laws is legitimate. Nor is it insidious to distinguish between immigrants who have come legally, who are a welcome and vital presence in American society, and others who have come in violation of the law.

That said, however, the best way to address this problem is not with a sweeping measure that may be unenforceable. The better alternative is to force the federal government to step up to its responsibilities and provide help. This may have been the real unspoken objective of Proposition 187 supporters, some of whom have already conceded that they may be

on dubious constitutional ground but argue that they are entitled to have their concerns taken seriously in Washington.

Opponents of the proposition are relying on a 1982 Supreme Court case called Plyler v. Doe. There, the court ruled, 5 to that Texas could not constitutionally bar the use of state funds for the education of children not legally admitted to the United States, Justice William Brennan, who wrote for the majority, did suggest, however, that the result might have been different if Congress had au-

thorized such a restriction. Chief Justice Warren Burger, who wrote for the dissenters, pointed out the folly of the Texas law as policy. "It is senseless for an enlightened society to deprive any children — including illegal aliens — of an elementary education ... [and] to tolerate creation of a seg-

ment of society made up of illiterate persons, many having a limited or no command of our language." (In fact, the children covered by the Texas law who were still in the country in 1986 were eligible for amnesty and are presumably now a permanent, legal part of that state's population.) He found no constitutional problem

with the statute, however, and pointed out that the courts are not authorized to strike down laws because they do not meet some standard of desirable social policy. His suggested alternative: "If the federal government, properly charged with deporting illegal aliens, fails to do so, it should bear the burdens of their presence here." If Californians have moved Washington in that direction by their vote on Tuesday, they will have made great progress notwithstanding the fate of Proposition 187.

THE WASHINGTON POST.

Yes, Eat Your Spinach

Ever since Popeye hoisted his first can of spinach, American children have squirmed under the threat that "You're not going to leave this table until you eat those vegetables." O.K., so maybe there was virtue in kale and broccoli. But wasn't it possible that telling their progeny to swallow that stuff was just another way for parents to show who was boss?

Maybe it was, but no matter. The order was worth obeying. According to two studies in The Journal of the American Medical Association, chemicals in green and yellow vegetables may protect against macular degeneration, the most common cause of blindness in the elderly, and against heart disease as well.

The compounds, called carotenoids, are what make squash yellow, spinach green - and a farmer's market in fall as glorious a sight as a stand of maple trees. In one study of 1,899 men with high blood cholesterol, heart attacks and deaths were 36 percent less common among those with high levels of carot-enoids in their blood. Another study compared 356 people who had developed age-related macular degeneration with 500 who had not. Those who ate the most dark green, leafy vegetables were 43 per-cent less likely to have the disorder than

those who had eaten the least. Popeye, then, was probably right. So were generations of cranky parents. But did they follow their own advice? In the land of the pizza, the pancake and the french-fried potato, one doubts it.

- THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Other Comment

Litigation for the Masses

We tend to regard litigation as the panacea that will cure all society's ills quickly, painlessly and cheaply. Litiga-tion is not merely our political crutch. It is our opiate, drugging our will to resolve our own problems, person to person. We go to the law these days for such matters as a Cracker Jack box that lacked a prize, the prom date's defection, the lost-and-

found lottery ticket.

A colleague of mine once had to devise visitation arrangements for a pet dog, the subject of a bitter intrafamilial ownership contest. Another had to decide if a 15year-old defendant should give back the

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13-year-old plaintiff's birth-control pills. Litigation offers still another anodyne. It helps us fritter away our leisure. From the media frenzy over the von Bulow case, we have moved (I could hardly say advanced) to the ultimate in court coverage, start-to-finish live video dramas starring real people - sometimes even star-

ring real stars, like O. J. Simpson. I wonder when judges, like football referees, will begin to be expected to call time-outs (the courtroom term is "recesses") to let the commercials run.

- From "In Love With Lawsuits," by Massachusetts Superior Court Judge Hiller B. Zobel, in the November 1994 issue of American Heritage.



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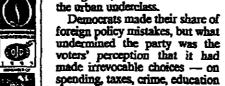
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Herald Tribune An Opportunity for a Historic International Initiative

WASHINGTON — When they meet in Indonesia on Tuesday, President Bill Clinton and the leaders of the 17 other members of the Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation forum have an opportunity to launch one of the boldest international economic initiatives in history: the achievement over the next 25 years of free trade and investment in a region that makes up half the world economy and

more than 40 percent of world trade. The first key step was taken at last November's initial APEC summit, hosted by President Clinton in Scattle, when the group embraced the concept of "a nunity of Asia-Pacific economies and indicated its receptiveness to moving toward free trade.

That event was part of the "trade triple play of 1993," one of the administration's signal policy successes to date, which began with congressional passage of the NAFTA legislation and culminated in the successful conclusion of the Uruguay Round of global negotiations in the Gen-eral Agreement on Tariffs and Trade.

This week's APEC summit could initiate an even more dramatic triple play continuing through congressional pas-sage of the GATT package to a commit-ment to achieve free trade in the Western Hemisphere at the Summit of the Americas to be hosted by the president in

Miami on Dec. 10. The APEC event is potentially the most significant of all. The 18 members include three of the world's largest eco-nomies: the United States, Japan and China. Trade among the members ac-counts for two-thirds of their total trade, a higher degree of regional interdepen dence than among the members of the European Union despite much closer physical proximity and three decades of integration efforts in Europe.

The APEC initiative has jelled at this time because nations on both sides of the Pacific have concluded that it will significantly advance their interests.

On the Asian side, most countries sell one-quarter to one-third of their exports to the United States, and rely heavily on trade expansion for their economic vitality. Virtually all rely on the United States to preserve a security balance in the region, providing assurances against future uncertainties such as those generated by a luge and rapidly growing China.

By C. Fred Bergsten

In fact, most of the initiatives for free trade in the region have come from Asians, not from America, President Suharto of Indonesia, the host of this year's summit, has provided most of the leadership in galvanizing the consensus that could emerge at the resort city of Bogor.

For the United States, the deal would provide growing and eventually total access to the largest and most dynamic economies in the world. It would provide an enormous competitive advantage, because America has already eliminated most of its own trade restrictions while barriers remain high in most of Asia ranging from tariffs of 40 to 50 percent in Indonesia and Thailand to opaque administrative controls in Japan and China.

At the end of the third global conflict of this century, the Cold War, world attention has turned to Asia and the Pacific.

All these obstacles must, of course, be addressed in the liberalization process. APEC can be especially helpful in promoting market opening and deregulation in Japan. Virtually every Asian country, as well as many Japanese, agree with the twin U.S. goals of reducing Japan's huge trade surplus and eliminating its access barriers. But those same countries and sympathetic Japanese loathe America's tactics of "aggressive unilateralism" more than they like its objectives. Hence they have opposed U.S. efforts, stiffening and justifying the resistance of Japanese eaucrats and politicians

An effective APEC would dramatically change the negotiating equation because Japan would confront a collective and hence more powerful call for reform. A similar shift in the bargaining balance would occur in efforts to obtain greater openness in trade policies in China.

Americans must also recall that they have fought three wars in Asia in the past half century. Any chance that a dividing line would be drawn down the middle of the Pacific would raise huge risks for the United States, as well as for the Asians, on both security and economic grounds. APEC does not discuss security, but its promise of further strengthening the Asia-Pacific economy and creating institutional linkages carries political implications of profound significance.

A further advantage of the pending APEC initiative is that it could prompt an early resumption of global trade liberalization in GATT. Europe is now extending its trade bloc and could eventually encompass as many as 40 countries with 800 million people. It finally accepted the Uruguay Round last December only when the Seattle summit demonstrated that the APEC countries could go their own way if GATT faltered.

And since APEC will offer to extend its liberalization to nonmember countries who are willing to reciprocate - an offer that will be hard to refuse, given the share of the world economy that APEC represents — barriers are quite likely to fall outside as well as inside the region.

Achieving free trade in such a large and diverse region will obviously take time and considerable effort. Hence the Eminent Persons Group of private indi-viduals appointed by APEC governments, which I chair, in response to the mandate given us at Scattle to prepare a comprehensive blueprint for achieving free trade in the region, proposes an extended period to work out and imple ment the plan. The most industrialized members (such as Japan and the United States) would eliminate their barriers by 2010, the intermediate countries (such as Korea) by 2015, and the least developed (such as Indonesia) by 2020.

The Pacific Business Forum, which comprises two corporate leaders from each member economy, urges a still faster timetable: 2002 for the richer countries, 2010 for the poorer.

Equally important, APEC will undertake a series of "trade facilitation" measures to develop a habit of cooperation among the members that will be needed to work out and faithfully implement the free trade commitment, and demonstrate to the region's business communities that APEC deserves their full support.

This part of the strategy includes an APEC Investment Code, the first comprehensive international understanding of its type, and agreements on industrial stan-

dards and mutual recognition of each others' testing and verification procedures, a valuable lubricant for business.

A third element is an APEC dispute settlement mechanism, to help mediate the tendentious bilateral conflicts that have dotted the region in recent years. Yet another is a common effort on antitrust and competition policies, to help level the

playing field throughout the region. Just as these facilitation measures will pave the way for subsequent liberalization, a political commitment at the summit to achieve free trade in the region will infuse the entire process with political momentum and promote the success of the initial steps.

The economic and security stakes alone clearly justify the APEC initiative. But it has far broader implications. APEC includes countries with per capita incomes ranging from more than \$30,000 in Japan to \$1,000 or less in China and Indonesia. Successful implementation of its free trade commitment would decisively bridge the "North-South gap."

APEC members all embrace marketpriented policies, but they pursue very different brands of capitalism. A successful APEC would subdue that potential source of international tension. APEC contains at least five distinctly different cultures; its success would obviate any risk of a "clash of civilizations."

At the end of World War II, the world focus was on Europe and the Atlantic. The leaders of the day built a series of institutional arrangements, in both the economic and security spheres, to avoid repeating the disasters of the previous half century. As we look back at their handiwork 50 years later, they succeeded beyond their wildest dreams.

At the end of the third global conflict of this century, the Cold War, world attention has turned to Asia and the Pacific. But there have been no broadbased institutional linkages to bind the two rims of the area together, and to protect against future conflict. APEC offers the potential to provide the economic dimension of that architecture. The leaders at Bogor can take a historic step to launch the process.

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America Strikes a Body Blow to the Trans-Atlantic Security Alliance

BRUSSELS — The blow struck by the U.S. Congress will not help the oppressed. In-stead it will further weaken the foundation of the international house that was intended to bring some measure of stability in the post-Cold War world. It has severely damaged the trans-Atlan-

North Atlantic Alliance. The order from the president to U.S. forces under NATO command to cease to enforce the arms embargo on shipments to the Bosnian government, and to cease to pass intelligence concerning such shipments to the other allies, cuts sharply across allied command arrangements. These have, up to now, been respected since the creation of the allied integrated mili-

tary structure. The order also shows complete disregard for the aims and constraints of friends and allies, as well as for those of Russia. The impression of a U.S. Con-

gress determined to bulldoze its decision through regardless of America's allies was reinforced by the way the information reached NATO. A leaked newspaper story arrived before any official notification. By Frederick Bonnart

It seemed to strike Brussels like a bolt from the blue - and yet the Nunn-Mitchell amendment to the defense authorization bill had been well publicized. Congress voted to cut off funds for enforcing the weapons ban as of Nov. 15 if the Serbs did " tic bond that is the basis of the not agree to a peace accord. An immediate damage-limita-

tion exercise had little effect. U.S. Ambassador Robert Hunter addressed an explanatory letter to the NATO secretary-general, copied to his colleagues. Administration officials pointed out the limited nature of the breach. It applied only to certain weapons. Air-toair, air-to-ground, anti-aircraft, anti-ship guns and missiles, as well as weapons of mass destruction, would continue to be banned.

U.S. forces would monitor the shipments to ensure correct destination, and mixed shipments would be diverted. Also, all U.S. personnel at NATO headquarters, including those supporting the Adriatic operation, would continue to carry out their duties. Finally, it was pointed out that, as most of the illegally imported weapons

reached the Bosnian forces by air

or land, the small quantities of lighter weapons now able to enter by sea would be insignificant.

The damage is great, however. In practice, the order means that an element in a military organization - U.S. ships under NATO command in Operation Sharp-Guard enforcing a blockade on former Yugoslavia - will unilaterally disobey part of its orders. Instructions for the operation had been given by the North Atlantic Council, on which America sits with its 15 allies, to its military command chain.

Moreover, the decision undercuts a NATO engagement to carry out a Security Council resolu-tion which was also voted by the

Heavy weapons such as armored vehicles and artillery are not under the continued ban and can be transported by sea in greater quantities than by other means. The reinforcement to Bosnian government forces could therefore be considerable.

If so, the present war will expand, more lives will be lost, more hodies will be torn to pieces, including those of helpless civilians.

As the UN Protection Force will be exposed to unacceptable casualties, contributing countries will withdraw their troops. Warnings to this effect have already been made by senior officials of Britain. France and Spain, the countries which provide most of them. This will impose further intense hardship on populations which now rely largely on those forces for the provision of basic means of survival and the maintenance of a measure of security in some safe areas.

Nor is it likely that the Bosnian forces will achieve a rapid victory. More probably, other parties — Croatia, then Serbia — will become involved, with unforesecable consequences as potential external backers wade in.

The full damage to the web of international relations has yet to become clear. As far as NATO is concerned, it is very serious. By this action, the U.S. administration has confirmed the accusations of dominance of the alliance voiced frequently by some Euro-pean critics. Britain will at last recognize the reality of the demise of the special relationship. France will rally the others toward creating an independent Enropean defense organization. Germany will turn another ratchet toward the federal integration of Europe.

This Monday's meeting of foreign and defense ministers of the Western European Union as Noordwijk, Netherlands, is likely to make a start in that direction. The impression is growing that a power-drunk Congress, in con-

trol of a weak presidency, is determined to enforce American decisions on the world, regardless of the interests and feelings of friends and allies. The result will be a loss of power and influence by the United States, which will damage not only itself.

The present reaction by America's allies should give the more influential members of Congress cause for reflection that, only superpower though America may be at present, other world power centers are growing in strength. Only by a common harmonious effort with them can the United States maintain the impetus for creating a stable, more peaceful world.

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It's Less a Republican Breakthrough Than a Society-Wide Stalemate

WASHINGTON — The elec-tion results are likely to usher in an era of political turbu-lence in America characterized by empty sloganeering, mean-spirit-ed campaigning and the growth of local and national third parties -an era in which neither Democrats por Republicans can count

on stable majorities. What the 1994 election most clearly signaled was the last gasp of the Democratic majority that has prevailed since 1932. That majority, which controlled Congress and the statehouses even when it ceded the presidency, was based on a coalition among urban ethnic machines, minorities, labor unions and the white South and Southwest.

In 1948, Strom Thurmond and the Dixiecrats temporarily bolted. In 1968, the Democrats suffered a more permanent reverse, as George Wallace led many Southern whites and some work-ing-class Northerners out of the party to protest Democratic support for racial desegregation. In the late '70s, as international

competition forced down real wages and eliminated budget surpluses, the Democrats suffered another wave of defections by voters angered by higher taxes, which they believed were being squandered on new social programs. They became the so-called Reagan Democrats.

These last two splits were fun-

damental. They removed the basis for a liberal populist alliance be-tween the middle and lower classes and opened the way for a conservarive populism directed against immigrants, welfare cheaters and the urban underclass. Democrats made their share of

supporters and its low-income black and Hispanic constituents. With this dark cloud hanging over them. Democrats lost five of six presidential elections from 1968 to 1988. Except for a six-year hiatus in the Senate, the party maintained power in Congress and the majority of statehouses.

In the South, Democrats con-tinued to win by staying sufficiently to the right of the national party to preserve a share of the older Democratic vote, while gaining the new minority vote against even more conservative Republican opponents. In House and state legislative

races, Democrats were aided by the Republicans' weak local orga-nizations. And they gained the allegiance of well-to-do young voters drawn by the environmental and social movements of the '60s. After the 1992 election, the Democrats had a fleeting opportunity to revive the party by uniting old Democratic constituencies with the voters who flocked to Ross Perot, wooed by his eco-nomic nationalism, fiscal conservatism and calls for political re-

form in Washington. But the Clinton administration quickly alienated Mr. Perot and Reagan Democrats by supporting homosexuals in the military, ap-pointing lobbyists and Wall Street heavies to high positions, abandoning the middle-class tax cut and championing a stimulus package directed at cities.

Of course, no other Democrat could have done much better. While Mr. Clinton made obvious tactical errors, he had to address the needs of cities and suburbs, poor and middle class, under the straitened circumstances of a competitive international economy. It is the dilemma that has plagued Democrats since 1968. . Mr. Clinton's victory in 1992,

By John B. Judis

like Jimmy Carter's in 1976, was a product of unique circumstances - in this case, a powerful thirdparty challenge and a tone-deaf Republican incumbent. Tuesday's elections were the culmination of the process that began with Mr. Wallace's defection in 1968 but was interrupted by Watergate and

George Bush's ineptitude. Republicans have finally established a solid congressional beach-head in the South. North Carolina's delegation, which had eight Democrats and four Republicans, now has eight Republicans and four Democrats. Georgia, which had seven Democrats and four Republicans, now has seven Republi-

cans and four Democrats. The Democrats increasingly resemble a rump version of the old New Deal and Great Society coalition, supplemented by some upper-middle-class suburbanites offended by Republican ties to the religious right.

Democrats can win elections against oddball candidates like Oliver North and Michael Huffington, but in economically dev-astated California they could not defeat an unpopular Republican governor running on a platform of bashing immigrants.

Does this mean that a Republican realignment has occurred? Not necessarily. Although united against Mr. Clinton, the Republicans are deeply divided among themselves. To some extent, the national Republican Party is the fractious Virginia branch writ large. And these internal differences will grow as the party is forced to govern rather than merely oppose.

Some Republican mayors and governors have proved effective leaders, but the national party lacks the constructive leadership that would allow it to create national prosperity without exacting With America" was largely a throwback to the campaign platform of 1978, which also prom-

ised tax cuts and a balanced bud-

get but led to huge deficits and financial scandals. Republicans have nothing more to offer Perot voters than the Clinton administration did. The party leadership is thoroughly committed to free trade and has blocked every effort at lobbying and campaign reform. Now that Republicans have won back the House, they will probably back away from their commit-

ment to term limits. Their conservative populism is thematic rather than substantial. in all likelihood, this election

the kind of sacrifices it condemns the Clinton administration for. Newt Gingrich's "Contract does not augur a new Republican realignment, but rather more in-stability. Both parties are likely to remain in the minority while more and more Americans cast about among third parties or abandon politics altogether.

Congress will become more contentious, as it was in the late 19th century, and the results will be much the same: the near impossibility of adopting major social legislation or undertaking comprehensive political reform. It's a situation that cries for change but makes change itself impossible.

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IN OUR PAGES: 100, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

1894: French Madagascar PARIS - [The Herald says in an editorial:] France is going to send fifteen thousand men to Madagascar: this will cost her sixty-five millions, but will give her a protectorate over, that is to

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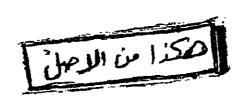
islands in the world. 1919: Wet Prohibitionist

LONDON - !From our New York edition: The second public appearance of W. E. Johnson, who is called in England "Pussyfoot Johnson," in America's prohibi-tion invasion provoked turbulent scenes. Mr. Johnson was dragged off the platform from which he tried to speak and carried through Traialgar square as the captive of a crowd of frenzied collegians. The students intended to publicly duck Mr. Johnson into a barrel of

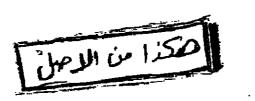
beer, but, deeming the beer too valuable to be used for this purpose, they decided to toss him into the Trafalgar square foun-tains. Mr. Johnson had intended to lecture on "The How and Why of American Prohibition."

1944: Is Hitler Dead? LONDON - [From our New

York edition: German Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels swung into a campaign to persuade the world that silent, seeinded Adolf Hitler is in "excellent, vigorous health" and not a ghost upon whose prestige Heinrich Himmler is trading as the real master of Gamany. German news agencies declared that the fact that Himmler, and not Hitier, broadcast the proclamation issued yesterday in Hitler's name "was in no way proof" of widespread reports that Hitler was incapacinited or dead.



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British Bonds Give a Royal Performance

LONDON - British government bonds have provided investors with the best return among bonds of major industrial nations in the past three months because of the country's low inflation rate and tough monetary policy.

Gilts, according to an index of sevento 10-year bonds, gained 1.3 percent in the third quarter, taking interest payments and capital gains into account. That is the best return of any major government bond, including those of the United States and Germany.

German bunds, for example, posted a return of just 0.7 percent in the quarter. while U.S. Treasuries lost 0.8 percent.

Gilts' performance is expected to continue, according to a recent survey of 33 banks. Gilts are likely to be the most profitable major European bond market in local currency terms in the fourth

"Our forecast is broadly positive for bonds over the next three months," said Terence Prideaux, director of Kemper Investment Management, the Londonbased fund management subsidiary of Kemper Corp. "We think bonds in general are cheap, and gilts are likely to be 27-year low of 2 percent as measured by pects inflation to average 3 percent over

So far in the fourth quarter, gilts have the best returns of any bond market of the Group of Seven industrial nations. The total return on seven- to 10-year bonds is 2.09 percent in local currency

Gilts are likely to be the most profitable major European bond market in local currency terms in the fourth quarter.

cent for Treasuries.

There is a good chance now that gilts can perform well, even in isolation from other bond markets," said Bill Clarke. associate director of bond investment at Legal & General Investment Manage-

Britain's benign inflation, which is at a curities. "In other words, the market ex-

amongst the better performers over the next three months."

the retail price index. Inflation is the next three months."

enemy of bond investors because it 1996." erodes the return on such investments as bonds that pay a fixed-rate of return.

British monetary authorities appear bent on keeping it that way. Last month, they raised interest rates a half-point to percent as a preemptive move year from £54 billion last year. against inflation.

If the Bank of England and the Treasury are to be believed, inflation is likely to remain low for some time. The bank now expects underlying inflation, which excludes mortgage payments, to gradually rise toward 2.5 percent over the next two years having originally forecast in-flation to rise to just below 4 percent.

The market appears to agree that the terms, against a 1.46 percent return for German bunds and negative 1.33 perright. The yield of the index-linked 2 percent 1996 gilt, whose return is linked to inflation, now stands at 3 percent.

This bond redeems in September 1996, when its value will be determined by the retail price index eight months earlier," said Kevin Adams, British bond The reason for investor enthusiasm is strategist at Barclays de Zoete Wedd Se-

Also helping gilts is that the supply of British bonds is not being bloated by heavy government borrowing. The public-sector borrowing requirement is forecast to fall to around £30 billion this

Because of the low inflation, tough monetary stance and lower borrowing, the benchmark 15-year bond, which yields 8.65 percent, can provide an investor with a yield after inflation of more than 6 percent. That has made gilts particularly attractive for income-oriented investors such as pension funds. In a recent Smith New Court/Gallup

poll of British institutional investors, the balance of fund managers planning to increase their gilt holdings surged to 47 percent in October from just 4 percent in ptember. If British inflation's performance really turns out as good as the Bank of

England is suggesting then there is room to see renewed inflows to gilts from overseas, Mr. Adams said.

So far this year, international investors have not been deterred from buying

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Rate Rise Seems Certain.

NEW YORK - It's 50 on the 15th

eter of interest rate pressure," The Treasury bond market has concluded that this is how said Joseph Bench, with New Castle Advisors in White many basis points, or hundredths of a percentage point, the Federal Reserve Board will Plains, New York. A drop in U.S. wholesale onices in October reported by

the government last week US CREDIT MARKETS strengthens the hand of those investors who are expecting raise the interest rate on overonly a 50 basis point increase. night bank loans when its poli-

The big drop in wholesale prices will "take the edge off cy-making committee meets on "The federal funds rate will rise," said Robert Dow, who trader at Nikko Securities Co. manages fixed-income securi-International. ties at Lord, Abbett & Co. "A Through October, wholesale-50 basis point rise in the funds rate already is reflected in Trea-

sury bill rates." The yield on the three-month bill was 5.22 percent Friday, up 32 basis points in the past month even though the Fed has not

The yield on the two-year

raised rates since Aug. 16.

fore the Fed raised rates for the the comparable 1993 period and first time this year on Feb. 4. 2.7 percent for all of last year. "That's a pretty good barom-

One signal that people are betting that the Fed is more likely to raise rates soon comes from the narrowing yield gap

between two-year Treasury notes and 30-year bonds. That gap stood Friday at 112 basis points, in from 129 basis points a month ago. A narrowing gap typically reflects in-creased investor concern that the Fed will soon raise short-

term interest rates. people looking for 100 basis

The Fed has raised overnight
points," said Terrence Crowe, a bank loan rates five times so far this year to 4.75 percent from 3 percent. The Fed's objective is to slow the economy's growth to price inflation was running at a around 2.5 percent, regarded as 1.2 percent annual rate, com-pared with 0.3 percent for the economy can grow without ac-

first nine months of 1993 and celerating inflation. 0.2 percent for all of last year. If the Fed decides to raise Inflation measured by the rates by more than the expected consumer price index was run-50 basis points, it will probably ning at 2.8 percent for the first opt for an increase of 1 full note is now 7.01 percent, up mine months of the year, compoint, said Simone Broderick, from 4.28 percent the day be-pared with 2.5 percent during an economist at Citibank

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Medium-Term Financing Gains Investor Preference

By Carl Gewirtz

ARIS — While bonds remain the largest single source of growing sector — with activity as fee the fastest growing sector — with activity so far this year running at more than double the pace of a year ago - is medium-term

Financial Market Trends, published by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, says new medium-term note programs in the first nine months totaled \$157.4 billion raising the total outstanding in this fledgling market to \$259 billion.

That's still a far cry from the more than \$2 trillion of outstanding international bond issues. But the factors fueling the "spectacular"

increase in medium-term notes remain in place and "undoubtedly will spur" the continued expansion of this sec-

Note programs provide borrowers tremendous flexibility to tailor new issues in terms of cur- flexibility.

tency, maturity and size — ex-actly matching the prevailing demand of investors. Originally, there was no underwriting in-volved as banks managing these programs simply matched borrow-

provide tremendous

Increasingly, however, note issuance is being underwritten with banks buying the paper from the issuer and then looking to place it with investors. As a result, the study said, the distinction between notes and Eurobonds is blurring. The report cites market sources as estimating that "around half of new MTN issuance has been made in the form of underwritter Eurobonds" using documentation of

About 94 percent of these notes are issued by borrowers within the OECD. So far this year, the largest programs are from borrowers in Japan, with \$22.9 billion, followed by Sweden, with \$22.2 billion, and Germany, with \$18.6 billion.

The report suggested that activity in the note market may account for the 20.3 percent drop in bond issuance by private-sector OECD companies as well as for the 25 percent decline in bond issuance by OECD governments. Overall, the volume of international bonds in the first nine

months is down 13 percent. Within this total, straight bonds are down 27 percent, equity-related issues were about unchanged and floating rate notes were up 53 percent.

Banks were the largest issuers of bonds, accounting for 30 percent of this year's volume. German banks were the largest single group, raising \$27 billion. They were followed by British banks, with a volume of \$16.7 billion, and Dutch banks, with \$10.5 billion. Germans were the largest users of the bond market, raising \$32.1 billion in the first nine months. Americans were in second place.

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Week ending November 11, 115

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Lubbers 'Available' For Top Job

By Alan Friedman

PARIS - Amid a stalemate over the choice of a new secretary-general of the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, member governments have begun pon-dering a new slate of candidates led by Ruud Lubbers, the for-mer Dutch prime minister.

Although he remains an undeclared candidate for the job, Mr. Lubbers, 55, would be "available" to serve as head of the Paris-based economic think tank, according to Hans van Mierlo, the Dutch foreign min-

Mr. van Mierlo stressed in an interview on Sunday that his government had not lobbied openly for Mr. Lubbers, who served as prime minister of the Netherlands for 12 years and who stood as a candidate earlier this year for the presidency of the European Commission. He said, however, that Mr. Lubbers would be "an excellent candidate, who could count on the unqualified backing of the Netherlands government."

Since June, the 25 member countries of the OECD have been unable to decide between the candidacies of Donald Johnston, a former Canadian politician, and Jean-Claude Paye, the French candidate who ended 10 years in office on Sept. 30. Last month the United States

firmly rejected a compromise proposal by France and Canada that would have allowed Mr. Paye to stay on for another two years, to be succeeded by Mr.

An official at the OECD said that both Mr. Paye and Mr. Johnston were coming to be seen by diplomats as "damaged goods" and that the only way to break the deadlock appeared to be to come up with a new list of

On Sunday Mr. van Mierlo said that his government had been supporting Mr. Paye, the official candidate of the European Union, "in a show of solidariwith our European partners." But he termed the idea of a deal allowing both Mr. Paye and Mr. Johnston to serve as "fraught with pernicions consequences for this important organization." A U.S. official confirmed that the names of Mr. Lubbers

ton and other world capitals in recent days. The other names now circulating for the OECD job are those of Henning Christopher-sen, the outgoing EU economics commissioner from Denmark, Hisashi Owada, Japan's ambassador to the United Nations and the father of Crown

and three other new candidates

had been discussed in Washing-

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Bullying Bureaucracy Foreigners Help to Open Japan Media

By Steven Brull

International Herald Tribune, Monday, November 14, 1994

TOKYO — When Itochu Corp. paid \$500 million two years ago for a small stake in a company dominated by Time Warner Inc. and the telephone company U S West Inc. the investment seemed a smart way to acquire software, technology and experience that would help the Japanese trading company pioneer multimedia in Japan.

But the foreign partners will be playing another, equally important role as the heav-

Foreign partners will help clear the bureaucratic obstacles to new business ventures.

ies, the tough guys who apply gaiatsu, or foreign pressure, to help clear the bureaucrat-

ic obstacles to new business ventures.

"Without Time Warner and U.S. West, we cannot challenge Nippon Telegraph and Telephone," said Ted Matsumoto, Itochu's multimedia strategist, referring to the giant phone company that dominates Japanese telecommunications. "We have no bargaining

Facing a long-term decline in their tradi-tional roles as middlemen for Japanese companies, Itochu, Mitsubishi Corp., Sumitomo Corp. and other trading companies have been spearheading development of multimedia services in Japan.

Japan's top companies, each of which has annual sales in excess of \$100 billion and which rank among the biggest companies in the world, have set ambitious plans to supply programming and develop an interactive telecommunications infrastructure that will merge voice, data and visual information.

In the foreseeable future, these new businesses will comprise only a small portion of their overall operations, which run the gamut from textile trading to real estate to natural resource development.

But over the long term, the companies see multimedia becoming a major segment of their operations, an area that will allow the

companies to prosper as traditional activities

The realization of their plans, however, will hinge to a great extent on deregulating laws that have stunted development of multimedia in Japan. In particular, they want Nippon Telegraph & Telephone Corp., a former government monopoly that continues to dominate the market, to open up its network to outsiders.

The companies have thus become key agents of deregulation in Japan and natural allies of foreign media companies. "Their future growth potential is really up to the bureaucracy," said Leon Rapp, an analyst at Baring Securities.

Pionecring a new field such as multimedia comes naturally to the companies, but it also comes by default.

Japan's electronics manufacturers, Matsushita Electric Industrial Co. and Sony Corp., have bought Hollywood studios that will provide content for multimedia networks. But development of domestic networks per se is made difficult by their need to focus resources in technological developments.

Likewise, Japan's big telecommunications equipment makers NEC Corp. and Fujitsu Ltd., are consumed by the need to stay competitive in semiconductors and other cash-devouring businesses. Nor can they afford to be seen as a competitors to NTT, their biggest custom-

NTT, for its part, has no interest in providing programming. The government is also loathe to give the behemoth free rein in setting up multimedia networks.

Itochu, which had sales of 16.135 trillion yen (\$165 billion) in the year through March, has taken the lead in the race to develop multimedia markets in Japan.

Including its 1992 investment for a 5.6 percent stake in Time Warner Entertainment, the company has plowed nearly \$1 billion mto a broad-based strategy that includes satellite television, cable TV, program production of the production of th tion and an 18 percent share of the international telephone company, International Digital Communications Inc.

Although it is redundant to invest in cable and satellite system delivery systems, analysts say Itochu's strategy makes sense because

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Japan Says U.S. Is Unclear on Car Trade Talks

shimoto, the international Chrysler Corp.— according to trade and industry minister of Mr. Brown. Washington also Japan, charged the United wants Japan's major auto com-States on Sunday with failing to panies to come up with a voluncoordinate its response to his tary plan to buy U.S. auto offer to revive stalled auto parts.

Kantor, the U.S. trade repre- Kantor had agreed Thursday sentative, and Ronald H. to resume talks on opening the Brown, the commerce secre- Japanese market for flat glass tary, had responded differently on Dec. 5 although they failed to the latest offer during sepa- to set a timetable for relaunchrate talks with the two men at ing the auto talks. the Asia-Pacific Economic Co-

operation forum. Let me say first of all that I had a big fight in a very friendly atmosphere," he told a seminar, noting that Walter Mon- moto's ministry and the comdale, the former vice president who is now ambassador to Japan, was present at both meet-

Mr. Hashimoto said he made the same set of proposals to both men in a bid to resume negotiations on the auto trade. the most difficult area in bilateral economic talks.

But he added that while Mr.

Kantor said the Americans "could start talking" on the basis of the latest offer during talks on Thursday, Mr. Brown said in subsequent talks Sunday that he "could not" accept the

Japanese proposal.
"I believe the American government is imposing two different ideas," Mr. Hashimoto

"Who has more power - Ambassador Kantor or Secretary Brown?" he asked.

The United States is seeking access to Japanese auto dealer-ships for Detroit's Big Three

Compiled by Our Stuff From Disputches automakers — General Motors JAKARTA - Ryutaro Ha- Corp. Ford Motor Co. and

Japanese officials said earlier Mr. Hashimoto said Mickey that Mr. Hashimoto and Mr.

Under the so-called framework agreement reached between leaders of the two countries last year, the auto talks are being carried out by Mr. Hashimerce departments.

Japan's \$4.5 billion market for flat glass, used by the construction and auto industries, is second only to that of the United States, according to the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative. Autos and auto parts account for about two-thirds of Japan's \$60 billion annual trade surplus with the United

An auto deal is seen as key to reducing the imbalance and deflating tensions between the economic powerhouses.

The United States has long accused Japan of playing by its own rules when it comes to cars, be it locking foreign rivals.

For its part, Tokyo concedes there are problems in the sector but in large part blames the Big Three U.S. producers for failing to make cars that suit the Japanese way of life.

Planned for Philippines

Naval base at Subic Bay.

Under its agreement with the government, Federal Express will begin operations from the sprawling Subic Bay facility, base in mid-1995 and will pay the Philippines \$1.65 million per year for the next seven years to use the site.

The deal between Federal Express and the Philippines came less than a month before ence in the country.

MANILA — The Philippines nessed the signing of the agreement said the eral Express Corp. to set up an remarks by President Fidel Ra-Asian hub at the former U.S. mos that the country was "back in business at the heart of Asia."

Manila is converting the which functioned as a repair yard and logistics center for the Japan-based U.S. 7th Fleet, into an international free port, industrial zone and tourist cen-

Several foreign companies, the second anniversary of the including Enron Energy Corp. U.S. pullout from Subic Bay, of the United States, have alafter the Philippine Senate vot- ready set up operations in Sued to terminate Washington's bic. Enron is building a 105basing rights and end nearly megawatt power plant in 100 years of U.S. military pres- addition to maintaining a 28megawatt facility the Ameri-Warren M. Christopher, the cans had left.

Federal Express Asia Hub China Details Market Reform

U.S. secretary of state, who wit- open its stock markets to foreign investors to lion H-shares with an initial value of 13.34 raise more capital and bring the markets more in line with international practices, an official report said Sunday.

The state-owned Business Weekly reported that the China Securities Regulatory Commission has drawn up a three-point plan. The plan would allow a greater number of state-owned enterprises to issue B shares, which are sold only to foreigners, and H shares, which are listed on the Hong Kong stock exchange. The A-share market, which is currently restricted to Chinese investors, would be

gradually opened to foreigners. Foreign securities institutions in China, meanwhile, would be permitted to handle offshore business under the proposed plan.

Nie Qingping, of the securities commission's overseas market department, said that internationalizing China's fledgling securities markets was a long-term priority. But he did not give a time frame for implementation of the reforms.

The commission is currently experimenting paign to keep price increases below 15 percent. with the listing of Chinese enterprises on over-

The Associated Press seas exchanges, Mr. Nie said. So far, 11 companies have listed in Hong Kong, issuing 6.3 mil-

China's two stock markets were established four years ago, with the first issue of B shares in 1991. By the end of last year, 42 companies had issued a total of 3 billion B shares, raising a combined \$1.3 billion from the issues.

Chinese Inflation Set to Exceed 20%

China's inflation will rise above 20 percent this year, the highest level since economic reforms were launched 15 years ago, according to an

official forecast published Sunday in The China Daily and reported by news agencies.

The forecast by the State Information Center underscored the failure of a 17-month drive to restrain an overheating economy that has averaged 13 percent growth over the past two years. to keep inflation under 10 percent in 1994, com-

The Chinese government pledged in January pared with 14.7 percent in 1993. The target was raised midyear as authorities launched a cam-

Real Sales but Virtual Profit

By Erik Ipsen

BRISTOL, England - What do you call a five-year-old company with 70 employees and £2.1 million (\$3 million) in revenue for the first half of the year? In the virtual reality business, you call it the entrenched titan of the industry.

"I guess that says this is a pretty small and new industry," conceded Pierre duPont, mar-keting director of Division Group PLC, the fast- SMALL

growing maker of hard- BUSINESS ware and software for virtual reality systems. Five years ago Division consisted of four young men, all in their middle and late 20s, working out

of a farmhouse in a town called Chipping Sodbury. Three of them had just left the big European semiconductor maker INMOS Ltd. and the fourth, Charles Grimsdale, had just left the British software house Perihelion. All were well qualified as technology wiz-

ards, but only one had the slightest acquaintance with management. It was Mr. Grimsdale's experience helping to manage his family's 450-acre dairy and cereals farm that made him the logical and unanimous choice as Division's managing director.

"We all felt stifled and wanted to do the things we wanted to do - things like computer graphics," said Phil Atkin, one of the original gang of four and now Division's director of entertainment projects. Two years after its founding, the company had grown to 18 employees, big enough to move into new quarters on two floors of a small building in a Bristol office park. Now that base has expanded to encompass two entire buildings.

It was an expansion fueled in part by the company's first share issue, in May, which raised £5 million and valued the company at £!3 million.

Six months later, Division is valued on paper at £44 million and its clients include companies ranging from Glaxo Holdings PLC in Britain to Matsushita Electric Industrial Co. of Japan and McDonnell Douglas Corp. in the United States. "We have exceeded our expectations," Mr. Grimsdale said.

But he said the company's growth has not made his job any easier. Despite Division's success, the company remains deeply immersed in red ink. While revenue for the first half of the year reached a record, so did the company's loss. In the first half of the year, Division posted a loss of £945,000, which the company blamed on expenses related to its huge expansion in staff and facilities.
Division's founders remain sanguine. In its

most significant deal to date, in July the company was selected by Hewlett-Packard Co. as its virtual reality partner. In addition to col-laborating on developing technology, Division will sell its own virtual reality systems through Hewlett-Packard to be connected to its computers. The combined hardware and software systems will sell from £20,000 to £40,000 each. Just last month, Division scored its biggest single contract to date, a \$2 million order from Virtual World Entertainment Inc. of Chicago.

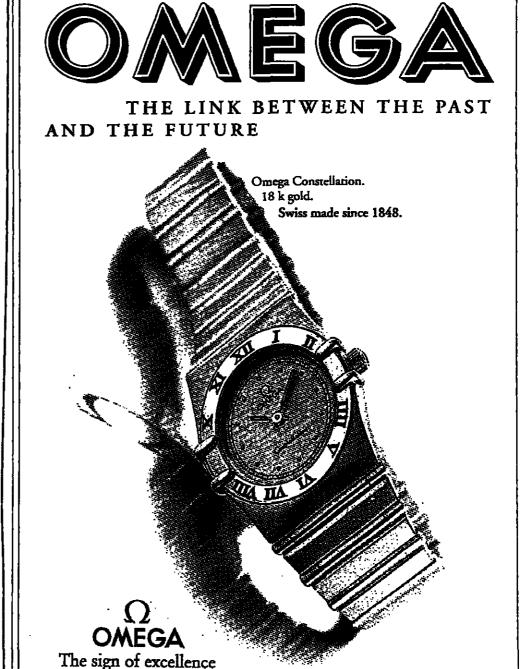
Under that contract, Division will supply the Chicago-based entertainment company with systems to run its Battle Tech game. More specifically, it will provide the technological fuel to enable computer game junkies to go into Virtual World's game centers,

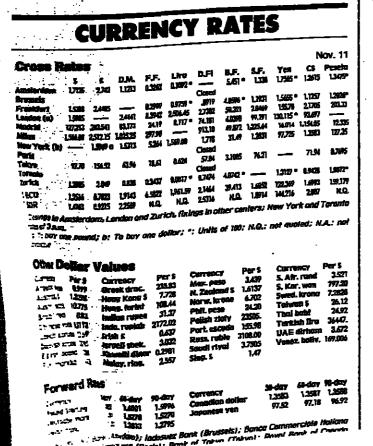
don headsets equipped with twin television screens and take up their data guns.

For Division, which had long eschewed projects on the entertainment end of the virtual reality business, it marked a major departhre. "People see entertainment as a lowering of standards," Mr. Atkin said. So far, Division has designed systems that do everything from allowing Gulfstream Aerospace International Corp. to design the interior of its corporate jets to allowing Glaxo to design new drugs, molecule by molecule.

"Frankly, I think part of our problem with entertainment was just that we did not know how to do it," Mr. Atkin said. To overcome that problem he spent much of his summer in Chicago, perfecting programs to get virtual explosions and virtual flames up to a reasonable semblance of the real thing.

In the process, Mr. Atkin relearned a lesson that has been repeatedly pounded into his head in his five years as a corporate executive. "At the end of the day the consumer is the only one that counts, even if it means losing sleep and spending a lot of time in Chicago," he said.





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Stocks and Election Don't Mix

By James K. Glassman Washington Post Service

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NEW YORK - One of the best ways to lose money is to base your investment decisions on political events. Emphoric investors who jumped into the stock market when Ronald Reagan won the presidential race, for example, lost 10 percent within a year. Still, elections can change

economic policy, which in turn influences the performance of individual businesses, which is the basis of stock prices.

have a direct effect on stocks. A Street appears change that lets investors keep more of their profits, such as worried that the the reduction in the capitalgains rate that Republicans are new Congress might dvocating, will almost certainly lift the market.

But since Tuesday's election. federal deficit. the market has gone down, not up. One reason is the mystery of timing. Sometimes the market takes good economic news into account before it happens; other times, it stubbomly waits to recognize the obvious.

Right now, Wall Street appears worried that the new Congress might actually widen the federal deficit. Investors also are skeptical that the big world trade agreement, the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, can pass this year. They also are anxious about rising interest rates.

But if you believe that there is a decent chance that the congressional elections will produce an economic and fiscal sea change, this could be a good time to commit long-term funds to the stock market. But be warned that you'll have to wait for your profits.

Patient investors who bought when Mr. Reagan was sworn in and held onto their stocks tripled their money by the time he

renred There's little doubt that this Congress will be friendlier to

But the change that could have the most impact on the stock market is a cut in taxes on capital gains — the profit you make when you sell an asset. such as stock, for more than you bought it.

Representative Bill Archer.
Republican of Texas and the
new chairman of the Ways and
Means Committee, wants to change the current law in three

both houses for the measure.

Currently, capital gains are taxed at the rate same as ordi-

And new tax policies can Right now, Wall actually widen the

> nary income, such as salaries dividends and interest, or at 28 percent, whichever is lower.

Under the Republican plan, a family with taxable income of \$38,000 to \$92,000 would see its capital gains rate fall to 14 per-cent from 28 percent. A family in the top bracket (\$250,000 and over), now paying 39.6 percent on ordinary income and 28 percent on capital gains, would have its rate on gains cut to 19.8 percent.

The reason a capital gains cut is so important to the stock market is that it increases the ing, Social Security, estate taxamount of money an investor can keep, thus making every stock more attractive.

Consider, for example, a cou-

ways: to tax gains at half the ple making \$70,000 a year. The popular Christian Democrat rate of ordinary income, to incomple buys \$10,000 worth of with a talent for compromise, dex gains to inflation, and to General Motors Corp. stock to appears to be the kind of "po-allow deductions to families day and sells it in five years for litical heavyweight" that the who sell their homes at a loss. \$15,000. Under the current law, His counterpart on the Sen- the federal tax on that capital ate side, incoming Finance gain would be \$1,400, leaving a they want in order to bring new chairman Bob Packwood, Republican of Oregon, is expected rate on capital gains cut as half, the tax would be \$700 and by its critics of languishing in well and there are majorities in the control of t well, and there are majorities in the profit \$4,300-an increase of

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19 percent. Let's say that inflation over this period is 3 percent annually, or a total of 15 percent. For calculating profits, the couple would raise its "basis" — the original cost of its stock - to reflect inflation. The basis would rise to \$11,500, so profits for tax purposes would be \$3,500. The tax would total \$490, so the couple could pocket \$4,510-that's 25 percent more

than under the current law. But what about the deficit? A capital gains cut itself would not have much effect. In fact, over the next few years, it would probably increase the flow of funds to the Treasury by encouraging more Americans to cash in gains they have locked away. Tax receipts from capital gains jumped from \$8 billion in 1977 to \$50 billion in 1986 as Eurob rates were steadily lowered.

What seemed to bother Wall Street last week were comments Mr. Archer made about other tax cuts, which might widen the deficit, in areas such as oil drilles, the so-called marriage penalty, and a "family-based" such as a \$500 tax credit for

Last Week's Markets

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cable has an extremely low penetration rate in Japan, so cable and satellite will have roles in play in Japan well into the next

In contrast, among Itochu's primary multimedia competitors, Sumitomo Corp. has focused more on cable television, while Mitsubishi Corp. has concentrated on satellites.

"Itochu has created a very diversified and coherent strategy in multimedia," Mr. Rapp said. "It puts them in a very strong position. Itochu plans to nearly double

its investment in multimedia through the end of the decade, with most of the money going to cable television in Japan.

The company, however, expects its multimedia business to continue making losses through the end of the decade. By the end of the year, Itochu is planning to invest an

initial 10 billion yen in a project revenues. But these services will that will create a dozen interactive cable TV operations that they can be hooked up for a reach 2 million households and pass 10 percent of Japanese homes by the year 2000. But Itochu will be providing only one-quarter of the initial invest-

West and Toshiba Corp. The foreign partners will play key roles in providing - The Ministry of Posts and technology and programming. But, according to Mr. Matsu-moto, these will be insufficient to guarantee the venture's profitability. Simple cable TV services will never return enough income to pay back the huge costs of laying cables in high-

cost Japan. The venture can only be viable if Itochu can use the network to provide telephone, data and other interactive services which, he estimates, will three domestic long-distance provide about 30 percent of telephone carriers.

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largest borrowers. The Japanese

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be of only limited value unless reasonable price to NTT's network, giving nationwide reach.

network is the local telephone business," Mr. Matsumoto ment, with equal amounts com-ing from Time Warner, US nopolists in the telephone business have a lot of juice, and we want to suck some of it out."

easing access for corporate data

previous week's 3.516 billion dollars.

"The goal of the interactive

Telecommunications is in favor of forcing NIT to open its network to upstart carriers. Last February, in a move to spur competition, it raised the ratio of foreign investment allowed in domestic cable TV businesses to 30 percent from 20 percent. And last week, implicit pressure from the ministry forced NTT to move toward

communications for Japan's

BONDS: Medium-Term Notes Lead Financing Growth

5.6 percent to \$644.1 billion.

Sales of equities, boosted by

some \$12 billion worth of priva-

tization issues, totaled \$35.2 bil-

lion and are on track to top the

record \$40.7 billion of stock

sold in all of last year. This is a

"remarkable" performance, the study said in light of the poor performance of most equity

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OECD countries and in devel-

Looking ahead, the study

Concern that the U.S. Federal Reserve Board will raise interest rates pushed strocks lower, with the key EOE index finishing at 407.69 points on Friday, down from 410.76

Amsterdam

points the previous week.

Frankfurt

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The concern about U.S.

monetary policy outweighed a

string of strong corporate re-

The DAX 30-share index fin-

ished the week at 2,078.35, up

0.52 percent for the week, with

also underpinned stocks.

Stocks here slipped last week in cautious trading, with the market plagued by fears of U.S.

and local interest rate increases.

The Hang Seng index, the key barometer of top shares,

lost 162,55 points to close Fri-

day at a two-week low of

9,367.85, down 1.71 percent on

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Mexico City Finance Ministry an-nounces Mexico's September trade bal-

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WORLD STOCKS IN REVIEW

Tuesday.

Milan

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Paris the tone set by the bond mar-Shares rose in a holidayshortened week, helped by a firm U.S. dollar. The CAC-40 Some support also came from the Republican victory in index finished the week up 0.9 U.S. midterm congressional percent. The market was closed Friday for Armistice Day.

Market Cómmittee meeting on

Prime Minister Silvio Berlus-

coni's rollercoaster political

fortunes pushed the Milan

Stock Exchange lower early last

week, but the Mibtel index

closed Friday 1.4 percent high-

er than the week before at

Prices fell Monday and Tues-

day as the market was dominat-

ed by concerns over the for-

tunes of the rightwing coalition

Convinced that short-term European rates will not fall in the near future, dealers are anticipating a reduction in longterm rates.

Singapore

Trading was slow last week on fears that a possible rise in U.S. interest rates Tuesday would push up local rates.
The key Straits Times index

lost 29.91 points for the week to end at 2,322.59 points. The broader-based SES All-Singa-Average daily turnover trimmed down to 2.520 billion Hong Kong dollars from the pore index slipped 11.95 points to 563.63 points.

Investors were reluctant to take large positions before Tuesday, when the Federal Re-serve's policy-setting committee meets.

London

Shares slipped last week after the market came under pressure from fears of a rise in interest rates in Britain and the United States. Support from the Republican victory in U.S. midterm elections had only a

temporary effect. The main market indicator, the Financial Times-Stock Exchange index of 100 leading shares, closed at 3,075.90 on Friday, registering a weekly loss of 21.7 points, or 0.7 percent.

Shares were lifted on Wednesday by the U.S. swing to the right but fell back, dominated by fears of a rise in U.S. interest rates after the Federal Reserve's policy-making Open 1.5 points.

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Tokyo

Prices tumbled last week after the Republican victory in U.S. elections raised worries about a further rise in the ven against the dollar

Business corporations and foreign investors sold heavily and the key market gauge fell 2.7 percent to its lowest level in

The Nikkei Stock Average of 225 selected issues in the TSE's first section shed 527.20 points to end the week at 19.284.36. The broader Tokyo Stock Price Index of all issues on the major section dropped 52.13 points to close at 1,517.67.

Zurich

Shares rose last week, continuing the rally started in late October and the the Swiss Performance Index gained 26.42 points to 1,708,60 for a gain of

OECD:

New Name Arises

Continued from Page 11 Princess Masako, and Carlos Solchaga, a former finance minister from Spain.

Mr. Lubbers, who is in the United States on a private visit, could not be reached for comment Sunday. On paper, the issuance, are in third place with strong-willed Mr. Lubbers, a a volume so far of \$30.6 billion. United States, Britain and other member governments say

bureaucracy and failing to provide timely economic analysis to Western policymakers.
The last Dutch official to oc-

cupy the OECD post was Emile van Lennep, who was secre-tary-general until 1984. Diplomats warned, however that despite the fact that fresh names are now circulating, the selection process was likely to take several more weeks. The choice is linked in part to the politics of deciding on a head of the World Trade Organization, the successor to the General

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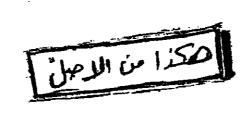
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SPORTS

Norris Stripped of Title At King's Extravaganza

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches had the bout even after four MEXICO CITY — Terry rounds. Nortis of the United States has been stripped of his World Boxing Council superwelterweight hile after fouling Luis Santana of the Dominican Republic in an ugly contest that was as much theater as it was boxing.

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The fight, and its sudden end 2 minutes and 2 seconds into the fifth round Saturday night marked both a high and a low point in a marathon string of ave world title fights put on by the flamboyant promoter Don

Norris lost his title on a disqualification after allegedly triot Javiera Vargas for the latrabbit punching Santana as the the ropes.

Santana slumped to the can-as where he lay on his back for vas, where he lay on his back for about five minutes before being taken out of the ring on a

But as Santana lay with his But as Santana lay with his eyes open in the ring, the ring doctor, Horacio Ramirez, could be heard telling him: "Come on, don't act, get up."

Referee Mitch Halpern of the United States waved the fight minutes, 46 seconds gone in the santana country the foul discounts.

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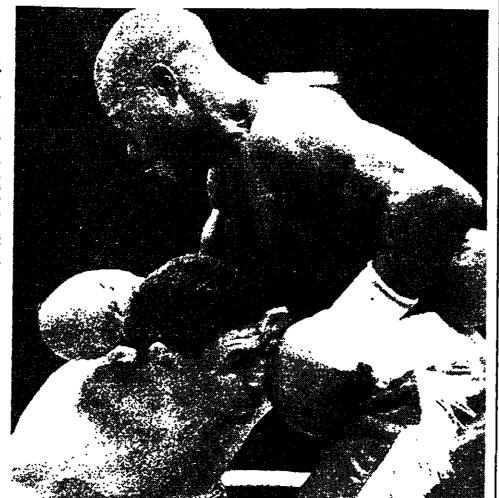
"I saw him lying there and I knew my title was gone," Norris

In an action-packed night be-fore a crowd of about 10,000 at the Plaza Mexico, the capital's famous bull ring, Humberto González of Mexico overcame a strong challenge from Michael Carbajal of the United States and retained his WBC and IBF light flyweight title on a split

Mexico's Ricardo López held onto his WBC straw-weight tichallenger was trapped against victories. The fight was stopped est in a string of 38 unbroken

In one of two World Boxing Association title fights, Genaro Hernandez of the United States, nursing an injured right hand, retained his junior light-

over, saying the foul disquali- second round to keep his crui-



Terry Norris, right, and the punch that cost him his WBC superwelterweight title.

Webber Appears Close To Playing for Bullets

By Leonard Shapiro and Richard Justice Washington Post Service

SAN FRANCISCO — Chris Webber, the No. 1 pick in the 1993 National Basketball Association draft and last year's rookie of the year, has said he wants to play for the Washington Bullets this season if his contract problems with the Golden State Warriors cannot be resolved.

"A lot of teams have made inquiries about me," Webber said Saturday in a telephone interview from his home here in the East Bay. "But the Bullets are the only one I'm interested in. The only one.'

Sources familiar with the discussions said Webber and the Bullets have reached "an understanding" on a contract that would be acceptable to both sides, and that the next move is

up to Golden State. The Warriors must decide if they're going to continue to try to make a deal that would make Webber happy. That seems in-creasingly unlikely because, according to sources. Webber met with the team's new management last Sunday and told them

cide if they're going to trade the player they once planned to build their franchise around.

It appears the Bullets are willing to part with Tom Gugliotta and a first-round draft choice. The Warriors want Gugliotta, but it's unclear whether they want Juwan Howard, the Bullets' first-round pick, or a future draft choice as the second part of the deal.

Webber also said Saturday he was "very excited" about the prospect of playing with Howard, his former teammate at the University of Michigan.

"I'd love to play with Juwan would make going to Washington even better."

Howard, the fifth pick in last June's draft, still is unsigned. But Webber's personal advisor, Fallasha Erwin of Detroit, said that "if there would be a trade, the basis of it has to be that Juwan has to be there in Washington. The trade would not in-

clude Juwan Howard. Webber, 21, invoked an es-

he wouldn't play for the team as cape clause this summer to void long as Don Nelson was still the final 14 years of his \$74.4 million contract with the War-Now the Warriors must de- riors. He is now a restricted free agent, meaning that any other NBA team can offer him a contract, with the Warriors having the right to match it and retain

> Webber said Saturday that "this is not about money. I just need to enjoy basketball again."
> Webber had problems last
> year with Nelson, Nelson, also the Warriors' general manager, has offered to give up coaching if it meant Webber would re-

sign with Golden State.

Although Webber declined to talk about that Saturday, he said Nelson "knows I never wanted him to be fired. I've again," Webber said, "That never said it was a situation where it's him or me. I just want to talk to him, just me and him, but I haven't felt like that's go-

ing to happen." At the same time, Webber also said, "My first love is still Golden State. Before any of these inquiries about me, I really thought I'd be here for a long time. It's not like I called Washington myself. I'm not the one who's in the driver's seat here."

Baseball Owners Preparing New Proposal for Players

RYE BROOK, New York - As major league baseball's labor negotiations recessed with a glimmer of hope, management sources said team owners had begun working out the details of a taxation system that will be the foundation of a new proposal to be made to the union when talks are resumed Thursday in Washington.

Representatives of the owners and players spent only about 15 minutes together behind closed doors Saturday, the third consecutive day of meetings under the direction of special mediator W.J. Usery. But the principals departed expressing renewed hope that a settlement to end the three-month-old strike is at least possible. "This has been going on for a long time,"

Usery said. He said "I've done my utmost to encourage the owners to take the players' concerns into consideration" when formulating the new proposal.

SIDELINES

Pakistan to Host '97 Muslim Games

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) — Pakistan said Saturday it will host Olympic-style games for Muslim women in 1997 in the

eastern Punjab capital of Lahore. The first Muslim women-only games were held in Tehran in 1993. Fazeh Hashmi, the daughter of Iran's President Hashemi Rafsanjani, said in Islamabad that "Islam approves of women taking part in physical exercise ... healthy women produce healthy children."

For the Record

Croatia Zagreb has been banned from European soccer for a season and its coach, Miroslav Blazevic, for 18 months for unsportsmanlike conduct at the Cup Winners' Cup match at Auxerre on Sept. 29.

The 1995 Giro d'Italia cycling race, organizers said, will include two stages outside Italy, the 236-kilometer 15th stage from Val Senales to Lenzerheide in Switzerland and the 202-kilometer 19th stage from Mondovi to Briançon in France. (Reuers)

Mavericks Mashburn and Jackson Rope Bulls

With Jamal Mashburn and Jim Jackson playing at a gallop, the rest of the Dallas Mavericks hung on for

Mashburn set a team record with 50 points and Jackson added a career-high 38 as the Mavericks beat the Bulls, 124-120, in overtime Saturday night in Chicago, snapping a 12-

game losing streak against the Bulls. "Usually I've had two good scorers on teams that I coached, but not that took on the scoring load like these gnys did tonight," said Dal-las's coach, Dick Motta. "I guess we kind of went with them. Sometimes you've just got to ride those horses."

Jackson sparked Dallas with seven points in OT, and he had 16 in

the fourth quarter. Mashburn had away with a 15-6 spurt for a 109-91 17 in the first quarter.

Mashburn's previous National Basketball Association high was 37

NBA HIGHLIGHTS

points, which he scored twice last season when he was a rookie. The Dallas team record of 49 was set by Mark Aguirre against Phila-

delphia on Jan. 28, 1985. Magic 116, 76ers 103: Shaquille O'Neal had 28 points, 12 rebounds and a season-high six assists and Orlando dominated the boards in Philadelphia.

O'Neal punctuated his night with eight fourth-quarter points, all on slam dunks, as the Magic pulled

ead with 4:13 left in the game.

Philadelphia's Jeff Malone led all scorers with 30 points, while the 76ers got another good game from Shawn Bradley, who had 12 points

and nine rebounds. Rockets 100, Nets 84: Hakeem Houston defeated the Nets in East its first loss of the season.

Rutherford, New Jersey. season with 15 straight victories, chipped in with 13 for San Antonio, haven't lost a game in November which announced before the game since Nov. 28, 1992, when they that forward Dennis Rodman was dropped a 108-99 decision to the taking a paid leave of absence.

Washington ruined Miami's home

Chapman made 8 of 14 from 3point range to break the old mark of six set by Michael Adams against San Antonio on Dec. 18, 1991.

Spurs 101, Knicks 82: David Robinson scored 35 points and Olajuwon had 31 points, 10 re- grabbed 13 rebounds in San Antobounds and five blocks as unbeaten nio as the Spurs handed New York

utherford, New Jersey.

J. R. Reid had 15 points. Elliott
The Rockets, who opened last added 14 and Willie Anderson

Suns 108, Clippers 101: Dan Ma-Bullets 109, Heat 99: Rex Chap- jerle scored 13 of his 33 points in the man scored 30 points and set a team third quarter, leading Phoenix past record with eight 3-pointers as the winless Clippers in Los Angeles.

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Crash With Hill Hands Schumacher Title

The Associated Press

ADELAIDE, Australia - Michael Schumacher became the first German to win the Formula One world drivers' championship on Sunday, when a collision with his rival, Damon Hill of Britain, knocked both out of the seasonending Australian Grand Prix.

Nigel Mansell won the race in a Williams-Renault, as his team took the constructors' championship for the third

Schumacher, 25, went out of the race while leading on lap 36. Hill had clipped the side of Schumacher's Benetton-Ford while trying to overtake it on the inside at turn six on the Adelaide street circuit.

Hill's Williams-Renault suffered structural damage in the accident and he pulled into the pits at the end of the lap. He retired when his pit crew was unable to repair a bent suspension arm. Hill had needed to finish in front of Schumacher to overtake him for the title.

Schumacher won the drivers' championship with 92 points, while Hill finished with 91 and Berger was third with 41.

Schumacher became the youngest world champion since Emerson Fittipaldi in 1972.

"It's a dream," he said. "I can't really bring out my emotions, can't express them. I was under a lot of pressure and I

just tried to take everything as it came." "It took a while for me to believe I'd won," he added, "but then I got back to

the pits and everyone was crying."

Mansell took the lead on lap 64 when an error and he was able to swoop past. The 41-year-old veteran from Britain clocked one hour, 47 minutes, 51.480 seconds for the 81 laps of the 3.78kilometer (2.348-mile) track, a total of 306.018 kilometers.

hour. Mansell punched the air with delight after his victory and threw his driving gloves into the crowd.

Berger, a two-time winner of the race. was second, 2.511 seconds behind, with Martin Brundle of Britain third in a McLaren Peugeot. Rubens Barichello of Brazil was fourth in a Jordan-Hart. Only four drivers were on the same lap as Mansell at the end.

Schumacher won eight races this season and had two second-place finishes, while Hill recorded six victories, five second places and one sixth.

The new champion had been critical of Hill's skills during the season, but said he regretted being so outspoken.
"I underestimated him," Schumacher said. "He's done exceptionally well in the

last two races and I apologize to him."

IndyCar Series champion, scored the championship picture. 31st victory of his Formula One career after gaining his 32d pole start.

the Ferrari driver Gerhard Berger made front of the grid in Adelaide, but had but died in an aircraft crash in 1975. never won the race. It was only his fourth start of the season in a Grand Prix after spending most of 1994 racing

IndyCars for the Newman-Haas team. "I had a very difficult year in America and this is a very emotional win for me," He averaged 170,323 kilometers per he said. "It had been the sort of year where I asked myself a lot of questions, so the emotion of being on the podium was fantastic."

The dramatic denouement to the drivers' championship happened after Schumacher had led from the start, holding off several charges from Hill.

The German ran wide to the right with apparent steering problems at turn five but scrambled back onto the circuit. Hill then tried to move through on the inside at turn six, flipping Schumacher's car into the air and into a wall on the left.

Schumacher later said. The German jumped out of his car looking dejected, but was dancing de-

"The steering didn't react at all,"

lightedly with his pit crew only minutes points, Benetton-Ford had 103 and Ferlater — after it was confirmed that Hill rari was third at 71.

Mansell, a former Formula One and was out of both the race and the world

Hill had been bidding to emulate his father, Graham, who won the world He had twice before started from the drivers' championship in 1962 and 1968

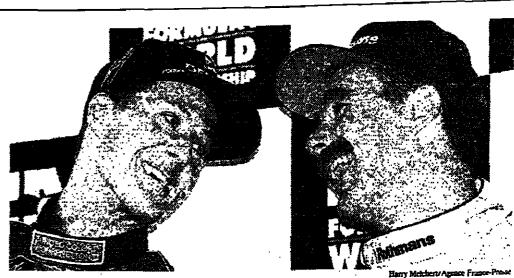
"I gave him a good run for his money — he was feeling the pressure," said a disappointed Hill. "I saw the opening. thought 'I've got to go here,' but it didn't happen. That's motor racing. I have a really empty feeling."

Hill took over as No. 1 driver for the Williams-Renault team after the threetime world champion Ayrton Senna was killed in a crash at the San Marino Grand Prix in May.

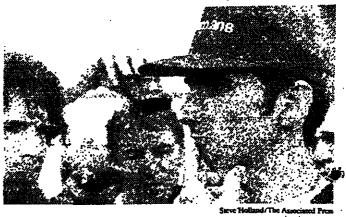
He paid tribute to his back-up crew. "I want to say that everyone in the Rothmans Williams-Renault team deserves a medal this year," he said. "They have been through a heck of a tough time and here at the last race we were fighting for the championship."

The exit of both Schumacher and his teammate Johnny Herbert from the race left Williams-Renault assured of the constructors' championship for the third straight year - and Mansell's victory increased the margin to 15 points.

Williams-Renault finished with 118



Michael Schumacher, above left, the new Formula One world champion, was all smiles Sunday with Nigel Mansell after Mansell's Australian Grand Prix victory in Adelaide. But Damon Hill, right, was dejected following the crash that forced him and Schumacher out of the race, allowing the German to capture the world title by one point.



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Top 25 College Results

How the top 25 teams in the Associate ress college football poli fared this week; Nebruska (11-0) beat lows State 28-12. Next: al Oklahoma, Nov. 25; 2, Pens State (9-0) beat Illinois 35-31. Next: vs. Northwestern. Saturday: 3. Auburn (9-8-1) ffed Georgia 23-23. Next: of No. 6 Alabama. Saturday: 4. Florida (8-1) beat South Carolina 48-17. Next: at Van-(8-1) bear South Carolina 48-17. Next: at Van-derbilt, Sournday: 5, Milanti (8-1) beat Pitts-burgh 17-12. Next: at Tample, Saturday. 6. Alabama (10-8) beat No. 22 Mississippi State 29-25. Next: vs. No. 3 Auburn, Saturday: 7, Colorado (9-1) beat Kansos 51-26. Next: vs. Lowa State, Saturday: 8, Florida State (8-1) beat Notre Dame 23-16. Next: at North Caroli-na State. Saturday: 8, Teoria ABA (10-1) beat no State, Saturday; 9, Texas A&M (9-0-1) beat Louisville 26-10. Next: vs. Terus Christian, Sat-urday: 18, Celarada State (1-1) beat Arkansas State 48-3. Next: at Fresno State. Schurday. 11, Kansas State (7-2) beat Missouri 21-18. 11, Krinses State (7-2) beet Missouri 21-18, Next: vs. Oklehoma State. Saturday: 12, Utah (8-2) lost to Air Force 40-33. Next: vs. No. 23 Brisham Young, Saturday: 13. Arizona (7-3) lost to No. 17 Southern Cal 45-28. Next: vs. Arizona State, Nov. 25: 14. Syracuse (8-3) lost to No. 25 Boston College 31-8. Next: vs. Maryland, Saturday: 15. Oregon (8-3) beat Stanford (6-2). Next: vs. College 31-9. Next: vs. Maryland, Saturday: 15. Oregon (8-3) beat Stanford (6-2). Next: vs. College 31-9. Seat Stanford

land, Saturday: 15, Oregon (8-3) beat Stantard 55-21. Next: of Oregon State, Saturday.
14. Virginita Tech (8-2) beat Rutgers 41-34. Next: vs. No. 21 Virginita, Saturday: 17, Southern Cat (7-2) beat No. 13 Arizona 45-26. Next: of UCLA. Saturday: 18. Duke (8-2) lost to North Carolina, Saturday: 19, Allchiyan (7-3) beat Minnesota 38-22. Next: of Ohlo State. Saturday: 29, Allssissippi State (7-3) lost to No. 6 Alabama 29-25. Next: of Alississippi, Nov. 24. 21, Virginita (7-2) beat Maryland 4-21. Next: of No. 16 Virginita (7-2) beat Maryland 4-21. Next: of No. 16 Virginita (7-2) beat Maryland 4-21. Next: of No. 16 Virginita (7-2) beat Maryland 4-21. Next: of No. 16 Virginita (7-2) beat Maryland 4-21. Next: of No. 16 Virginita (7-2) beat Maryland 4-21. Next: of No. 16 Virginio Tech, Safurdoy: 22, Wash-ington (7-3) best California 31-39, Next; at No. 24 Washington State, Safurday: 23, Brigham Young (9-2) beat San Diego State 15-28, Thursday. Next; at No. 12 Utah, Saturday, Nov. 19; 24. Washington State (6-4) lost to Oceann State 21-3. Next: vs. Ng. 22 Washington. Saturday; 25. Boston College (6-2-1) beat Na. 14 Syrocuse 31-8. Next: at West Virginia. Saturday. Other Major College Scores

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Oniver Details, Prairie, and James Biork-man, Sweden, 63, 63; Modinus Larsson (7), Sweden, def. Sebastion Lareau, Canada, 7-617-3), 67 (5-7), 7-6 17-6); Pete Someras (1), U.S., def, Byron Block, Zimbabwe, 6-1, 6-3; Jared Polimer, U.S., def, Patrick Roffer (6), Austra-Lorsson def. Deloitre, 6-4, 6-3; Sompros def. Polmer, 7-5, 6-3. Fine! Sampres det. Lorsson, 7-6 (7-5) 6-4. KREMLIN CUP

In Moscow
Singles, quarterfinols
Marc Rassel (6), Switzerland, del. Yevgeny
Kafeinikav (3), Russia, 6+ (13-14), 6-4, 6-3;
Chuck Adams, United Slates, def. Carl-Uwe
Sleeb, Germany, 3-6, 7-5, 6-3; Jacco Ellingh,
Nathanian and Both Karth (2), Swith Ba Netherlands, def. Petr Korda (7), Czech Re-public, 7-6 (9-7), 6-4; Alexandre Valkav. Rus-sla, def. Daniel Vacek, Czech Republic, re-

Alexander Valkov, Russia. del. Jacco El-lingh, Netherlands. 6-7 (6-8), 7-6 (8-0), 6-2; Chuck Adoms, Pacific Palisades, Callil., del. Marc Rosset (6), Switzerland. 4-6, 6-3, 6-4. Volkov det. Adams, 6-2 6-4 VIRGINIA SLIMS OF PHILADELPHIA

VIRGINIA SLIMS OF FINANCIA Singles, quarterfinals Notalia Zvereva (5). Belarus, def. Brenda 10, 14, 74 (74); Anke Notatio Zyereva (3), belanus, del. Brenon Schultz, Netherlands, 6-1, 7-6 (7-4); Anke Huber (6), Germany, del. Klimber Iy Pa, U.S., 6-L. 6-2; Mary Pierce (2), France, def. Mellen Tu. U.S., 6-2.6-4; Gabriela Sabatini (4), Argening, def. Chando Rubin, U.S., 6-3, 6-0. Semificals Semifianis Mary Pierce (2), France, def. Natalia Zver-eva (5), Belarus, 6-3, 6-3; Anke Huber (6), Germany, def. Gabriela Sabatini (4), Argenti-

ng, 6-7 (11-13), 6-1, 6-4.
TOPPER OPEN
In Buenos Aires Francisco Clavel (8). Sooin, def. Alberto Berusategul (1). Sooin, 6-7 (7-5), 6-1, 6-2; Alex Carretto (3), Sooin, def. Luiz Mottor: Brazil. 6-1,6-3; Karel Novocek (5). Czech Republic, def. Slava Dosedel (4). Czech Republic, 6-1, 6-3; Joyler Frans, Argentino, def. Juan Vilocs, Sooin def. 4-4

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Australian Grand Prix

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Williams-Remoult, one hour 47 minutes, 51,480
seconds, 82,105,856 mph; 2, Gertimre Berger,
Austria, Ferrori, 52; 3, Mortis Bruedle, England, McLaren-Peugeol, 82; 4, Rubean Barrichello, Bruzil, Jordon-Hart, 80; 5, Olivier
Peals, Franca, Ligher-Renoult, 80; 6, Jean
Alesi, Franca, Ferrori, 80,
7, Melaz-Harotti Frantzen, Gormany,
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Stitut Fearman Francis 27, 7 Fearman man in Allin Minoral Front 77; 12 Jule Anto-Finland, Souber-Mercedes, 77; 11, Franck Lasarce, France. Lister-Renoult, 77; 12, Milka Hukkines, Finland McLoren-Peuseat, 76. Final Driver Standings: 1, Michael Schumacher, Germany, 72; 2, Doman Hill, Britain, 91; 3, Gerhard Benger, Austria, 41; 4, Mika Hakkinen, Finland, 25; 5, Jean Alesi, Franca, 24. A. Rubens Barrichella, Brazil, 19; 7, Martin Brundle, Britain, 16; 3, David Courthard, Britain, 14; 9, Nigel Mansell, Britain, 13; 10, Jos Verstappen, Netterlands, 10. Final Team Standings: 1, Williams-Renout, 118; 2, Benetion-Ford, 103; 3, Ferrori, 7; 4, McLaren-Peugent, 42; 5, Jardan-Hort, 28; 6, Ligier-Renoult, 13; (fie) Tyrreil-Yamana, 13; 8, Sauber-Mercedes, 12; 9, Foolwark-Ford, 9; 10, Minardi-Poid, 5; 11, Longrouss-Ford, 2

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Duisburg 1 EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP Portugol 1, Austrio 6 Scorer: Luis Figo (37th minute). Ukrokse 1, Estosia 8 Scorers: Sergel Konovalov (30th).

(76th)
Remania 3, Slovekia 2
Scorens: Remania — Gheorphe Popescu
(7th), Gheorphe Hosti (46th), Daniel Predon
(80th); Slovekio - Peter Dubovsky (56th).
Miroslov Chvila (78th).
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DUTCH FIRST DIVISION
Utrecht 0, Twente Enschede 4
Sparte Rotterdam 2, NEC Nillmegen 6
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HOCKEY

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ANAHEIM—Assigned Maxim Bets, left
Mag, to Worcester, AHL

BUFFALO—Named Dousias Moss president and chief executive officer,

N.Y. ISLANDERS—Assigned Scott Scis-COLLEGE

BIG EIGHT—Suspended Jim Walden, lowa State tootbati coach, for one gome for criticiz-ing officials after a loss to Kansas State lost

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the end of his contract in mid-December.

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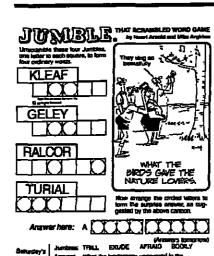
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MICHIGAN ST .-- Fired George Perles, foolball couch, effective at end at season,
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Miller, wide receiver, has left school,
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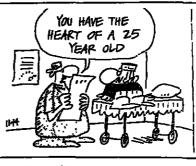








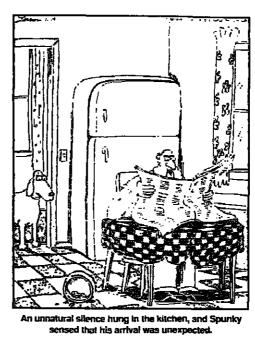
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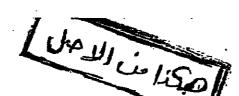


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Bledsoe and Patriots Charge Back

stunning comeback performance by Drew Bledsoe against one of the National Football League's best teams.

The New England quarterback's 14-yard overtime pass to Kevin Turner gave the Patriots a 26-20 victory on Sunday over the Minnesota Vikings, who had seemed headed for a runaway win after the first half in Foxboro, Massachusetts. Bledsoe set NFL records of 45 completions and 70 attempts. He threw for 426 yards and three touchdowns as the Patriots overcame deficits of 20-0 late in the first half and 20-10 with less than three minutes left in the fourth quarter.

The old records were 68 passes by Houston's George Blanda on Nov. 1, 1964, and 42 completions by the New York Jets' Richard Todd on Sept. 21,

New England (4-6) broke a four-game losing streak. Minnesota (7-3) had its four-game winning streak snapped after outgaining the Patriots 286 yards to 89 in the first half and opening a 20-0 lead.

Trailing 20-10, Bledsoe threw a 5-yard touchdown pass to Le-roy Thompson with 2:21 left in the fourth quarter. The Vikings couldn't get a first down on their next series, and Bledsoe

The Patriots scored just 4:10 later on Bledsoe's sixth completion

NFL ROUNDUP

play after he sneaked 2 yards for

corner of the end zone for the winning catch.
Bengals 34, Oilers 31: Limp-

that required X-rays in the fourth quarter, Jeff Blake threw four touchdowns passes and a 50-yard completion before Doug Pelfrey hit a 40-yard field goal as time ran to stop Houston in Cincinnati. It was Cincinnati's second straight victory.

The victory added to the albruised left ankle.

The Oilers (1-9) were on the

go-ahead drive.

and led the Bengals to a tri- zone. umph that erased their tag as the NFL's worst team - the Oilers now bear that title.

Saints 33, Falcons 32: Rookie Mario Bates kick-started the New Orleans Saints running attack, then Morten Andersen kicked them to victory against

Andersen's 39-yard field goal with eight seconds left gave the Saints the victory and overshadowed six field goals by Atlanta's Norm Johnson.

But the victory was fueled by Bates, who ran for 141 yards and two touchdowns in his first NFL start. He also had three receptions for 28 yards.

Chargers 14, Chiefs 13: After Joe Montana threw an interception deep in Chiefs territory in the fourth quarter, Stan Humphries hit a wide-open Duane Young with a short TD pass to lift visiting San Diego (8-2) to the victory and a twogame lead over Kansas City (6-4) in the AFC West.

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5. Humphries tossed the game-He returned to a standing winner to Young, standing ovation, bounded off the cart alone in the corner of the end

> Montana was working without his best running back, blocker and pass-catcher, but the Chargers committed four turnovers in the first half as the Chiefs seized a 13-0 lead.

Neither Marcus Allen nor tackle John Alt suited up for the Chiefs, limiting Montana's options in the passing game. Early

Browns 26, Eagles 7: In Philadelphia, Cleveland limited the Eagles to 288 yards and a touchdown while Matt Stover

kicked four field goals.

Mark Rypien, 12-of-30 for 158 yards, threw a 3-yard touchdown pass to Mark Carrier and Ernest Byner scored on 4-yard run to give Cleveland (8-2) its seventh victory in its last eight games.

In losing for the first time in their last seven home games, the Eagles (7-3) got their only score on a 15-yard Vaughn Hebron touchdown run in the second

Randall Cunningham, whose streak of winning starts at Veterans Stadium was stopped at 20, was 22-of-38 for 195 yards and threw his ninth interception of the season. He was also

to seven games.

He misfired on first and second down and, after taking the Cardinals' final timeout, scrambled to his right and lofted a pass to Reeves, who leaped high to catch the ball.

Miami, the AFC East leader, fell to 7-3. Chicago improved to 6-4, and starting quarterback Steve Walsh remained unbeat-

To Stun the Vikings in OT, 26-20 yard line to Matt Bahr's tying 5-yard touchdown pass to Web-ren Carrington intercepted a The Associated Press ster Slaughter for a 31-24 lead ball that glanced off Lake Dawwith 5:51 left. Blake was carted son's hands and returned it to It was an amazing finish to a 23-yard field goal with 14 sec-New England got the over-time kickoff and began at its 33. to the locker room for X-rays the 8. on his ankle during Houston's On third-and-goal from the

in six OT attempts. It came one

a first down on third down. Turner got behind linebacker Carlos Jenkins in the left

ing severely on a bruised ankle

ready immense legend of Blake — a 166th draft pick in 1992 who won AFC offensive player of the week honors last week by throwing for 387 yards in only his second NFL start. His encore was simply fairytale as he bounced off the X-ray table to lead two late drives on his

verge of breaking their losing ing themselves all day and had streak - now at six games - snapped the ball in Kansas City

visiting Atlanta.

Pena State's Freddie Scott racing away from Scott Turner of Illinois to score in the first half in Champaign, Illinois. led the Patriots from their 39- when Billy Joe Tolliver threw a territory only once when Dar-

passes by Terry Harvey to dump Duke, which had taken advan-

tage of turnovers by Harvey to build a 20-7 halftime lead.

straight year.

No. 19 Michigan 38, Minne-

terceptions, was sacked five

No. 22 Washington 31, Cali-

formia 19: Reggie Reser ran

back an interception 79 yards and Lamar Lyons returned a

fumble 38 yards for first-quar-

ter touchdowns as Washington

handed the visiting Bears their

Oregon St. 21, No. 24 Wash-

ington St. 3: J. J. Young rushed

for 100 yards and a TD and

Oregon State's defense smoth-

ered Washington State in the

second half in Corvallis, Oregon.

times and lost a fumble.

fifth straight loss.

sacked twice.

Cunningham also fumbled late in the third quarter after the Eagles, trailing by 12, had driven to the Cleveland 13. Don Griffin recovered for the Browns, who used the turnover to drive for Byner's touchdown early in the fourth quarter.

Cardinals 10, Giants 9: In East Rutherford, New Jersey. Steve Benerlein overcame an inconsistent performance thanks to Bryan Reeves's superb 9yard catch at the back of the end zone with 1:39 to play, as Arizona extended New York's longest losing streak since 1980

The slide is the longest of Dan Reeves's 14-year coaching career and it came in a game in which the Giants (3-7) squandered a 9-0 halftime lead and saw the Cardinals (4-6) rally to win for the first time at Giants Stadium since 1983.

The Cardinals, who limited New York to 56 second-half yards, drove 54 yards in eight plays following a punt. Bener-lein was 4-for-7 for 53 yards, connecting with Randal Hill for 25 and 11 yards and Gary Clark for 8 to give Arizona a first down at the New York 9.

Bears 17, Dolphins 14: Chicago scored its first touchdown on a bizarre fake field goal, and Kevin Butler won a last-minute kicking duel against Pete Stoyanovich to win in Miami.

Butler hit a 40-yard field goal with 59 seconds left. Miami's Dan Marino, working without any timeouts, completed two passes for 38 yards to give Stoyanovich a chance to force an overtime, but his low 45yard attempt was tipped by Chicago's James Williams with two seconds left.

Bears receiver Chris Conway threw the game's most memorable pass, a deflected toss to Keith Jennings for a 23-yard score on a fake field goal in the first period.

Wilma Rudolph Dies, 1960 Olympics Star

Wilma Rudolph, who grew from a sickly child unable to walk into a statuesque athlete of 20 who won three gold medals as a sprinter at the 1960 Olympics in Rome, died Saturday at her home in Brentwood, Tennessee, near Nashville. She was 54.

Her sister, Charlene Rudolph, said Rudolph had learned in July that she had a malignant brain tumor.

Rudolph was a handsome, regal woman, 6 feet (1.82 meters) tall, charming, graceful and gracious. She was the first woman to win three gold medals in track and field in one Olympics. She also became America's greatest woman sports hero since

Babe Didrikson Zaharias a generation earlier.

Wilma Glodean Rudolph was born on June 23, 1940, in Clarksville, Tennessee, 45 miles (70 kilometers) north of Nashville, and grew up in Clarksville. She was the 20th of 22 children of Ed Rudolph, a railroad porter, from two marriages. Her mother, Blanche, was a domestic.

The child weighed four and a half pounds (about 2 kilo-

grams) at birth. At age 4, she contracted double pneumonia and scarlet fever simultaneously and almost died. The illnesses left her left leg paralyzed.

At 6, she started to hop on one leg. At 8, she started to walk with a leg brace. Later, an orthopedic shoe replaced the brace. One day, when the child was 11, her mother found her playing basketbell in bare feet.

At 13, she joined the high school basketball team and twice made the all-state team. She would sometimes skip school to run on a track across the street. Her talent intrigued Ed Temple, the renowned coach at Tennessee State University in Nashville, and at his invitation she attended his summer track camps. After she graduated from high school, Temple gave her an athletic scholarship at Tennessee State. She made the 1960

Olympic team, for which Temple was the women's coach. The day before the 100 meters in the Rome Olympics, she stepped in a hole in the infield of the practice track and twisted an ankle. The next day, the ankle held up, and she won her semifinal in 11.3 seconds, equaling the world record. She won the final in 11.0 seconds, but the following wind of 6.15 miles an

hour precluded recognition as a world record.

In the 200 meters, she set an Olympic record of 23.2 seconds in the heats and won the final in 24.0 seconds. In the 400-meter relay, with college teammates running the first three legs, she helped set a world record of 44.4 seconds in a heat. In the final, after a bad baton pass to her, she turned a two-yard deficit into a three-yard victory in 44.5 seconds.

Late Rallies Lift Nebraska and Penn State

The Associated Press

Victories didn't come easy for No. 1 Nebraska or No. 2 Penn State, but both remained undefeated and managed to clinch bowl bids on Saturday. Things weren't easy for No. 3 Auburn, either, which stayed

undefeated but not unblemished. The Tigers played to a 23-23 tie with Georgia. Nebraska used fourth-quarter touchdowns by Damon Benning and Lawrence Phillips to

nail down a 28-12 victory over the nation's longest winning Iowa State, earning a trip to the streak ended at 20 games. Orange Bowl.

the fourth quarter before pull-183 yards on 36 carries after being held to 30 yards on 15 first-half carries.

The victory clinched a tie for the Big Eight championship for the Cornhuskers, who hold the tiebreaker edge over Colorado. That assures Nebraska of the automatic bid to the Orange Bowl, where it has lost five straight times and has seen several previous national championship opportunities evaporate.

Penn State was in major trouble, surrendering 21 early points to host Illinois and still trailing 31-21 in the fourth quarter. But the Nittany Lions staged their biggest comeback since Joe Paterno became coach in 1966 to preserve their shot at

the national championship.

Brian Milne climaxed the comeback on a 2-yard touchdown with 57 seconds to play as the Nittany Lions clinched their

first Rose Bowl appearance No. 6 Alabama 29, No. 20 Beau Morgan, making his first rallied at home in the second since 1923 and extended their Mississippi St. 25: Jay Barker start, threw two touchdown half on a pair of touchdown winning streak to 14 games. threw for 325 yards and three passes to Jake Campbell, and passes by Terry Harvey to dump

Auburn had a chance to beat scored on a 1-yard run with 51 visiting Georgia in the final sec- seconds left as visiting Alabama onds, but a 44-yard field goal clinched its third straight SEC attempt by Matt Hawkins was Western Division title. wide to the right.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Eric Zeier threw two touch-

Penn State spotted Illinois down passes to help Georgia the record for most points in a three first-quarter touchdowns overcome a 14-point deficit in season, 122, set in 1937 by the No. 14 Syracuse 0: In Boston, vich and then blocked one of his and still recovered for a 35-31 the second half. The Tigers got retired Supreme Court Justice Mark Hartsell threw three punts in Charlottesville, Virginvictory that clinched the Big the ball back at the Georgia 38 Ten title and a Rose Bowl trip. with 1:21 remaining and got to Nebraska led just 14-12 in the 27 before Patrick Nix threw two straight incompletions and ing away. Phillips finished with Stephen Davis was stopped for no gain. Georgia then called its final two timeouts trying to rattle the junior kicker, and Hawkins then came on and missed.

No. 4 Florida 48, S. Carolina 17: Danny Wuerffel threw for 357 yards and four TDs in Gamesville, Florida, as Florida clinched its third straight trip to tucky, Corey Pullig threw a 25- Southern Cal are tied for the the Southeastern Conference championship game. The Gators pulled away in the second quarter when Wuerffel threw two TDs to Jack Jackson, who became the school's career TD kansas St. 3: Anthoney Hill No. 16 Virginia T became the school's career TD

reception leader with 26.
No. 5 Miami 17, Pittsburgh 12: The Hurricanes, who were favored by 33 points, overcame four turnovers in the rain and escaped with a narrow victory in Miami. Billy West, the Big East rushing leader, ran for 160 yards for the Panthers, who scored the first TD against Miami's defense in 18 quarters.

No. 3 Auburn 23, Georgia 23: touchdowns and Dennis Riddle

ide to the right.

No. 7 Colorado 51, Kansas na 28: Rob Johnson threw for gan, Todd Collins passed for a The Tigers, on probation and 26: Rashaan Salaam broke 390 yards and three touch-school-record 352 yards and ineligible for a bowl game, had three school records as Colorado pounded the Jayhawks in Lawrence, Kansas. Salaam rushed for 232 yards and three touchdowns (22) and breaking knocked Arizona out of it.

> TDs gave him 132 points. Dame 16: Rock Preston ran for six sacks as Syracuse failed to 165 yards and Warrick Dunn score a touchdown for the secfor 163 as Florida State came ond straight game. from behind to win at home.
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> Dunn scored the winning TD
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> on a 5-yard run with 2:53 to
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> No. 15 Oregon 55, Stanford
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> 21: Danny O'Neil threw a
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> school-record six touchdown play. The loss was the third in passes, three to Cristin McLefour games for Notre Dame.

> yard touchdown pass to Chris conference lead, but Oregon Sanders and Leeland McElroy holds the tiebreaker edge. The ran 8 yards for a score as the defeat ensured a second straight

rado State, the Western Athlet- ginia, Maurice DeShazo threw ic Conference co-leader, in Fort two touchdown passes and Collins, Colorado. No. 11 Kansas St. 21, Missouri 18: Chad May threw two fourth quarter before Rutgers touchdown passes and visiting rallied behind quarterback Ray

Kansas State stopped Missouri on a fourth-and-goal from the 3 high 374 yards and four TDs. with 39 seconds to go. N. Carolina St. 24, No. 18 with 39 seconds to go.

N. Carolina St. 24, No. 18

Air Force 40, No. 12 Utah 33: Duke 23: North Carolina State

Morgan and Campbell each ran for another score as Air Force handed visiting Utah its second No. 17 USC 45, No. 13 Arizo- sota 22: In Ann Arbor, Michi-

downs and ran for another two touchdowns as Michigan score and Southern Cal's de-overcame a terrible first half to fense came up with two big beat Minnesota for the eighth goal-line stands in Los Angeles. The Trojans stayed in the Rose TDs, setting season records for The Trojans stayed in the Rose No. 21 Virginia 46, Maryland rushing (1,796 yards) and Bowl race and almost certainly 21: Linebacker James Farrior knocked Arizona out of it. intercepted a pass by the Mary-No. 25 Boston College 31, land quarterback Scott Milano-

Byron White. Salaam's three touchdown passes and Boston ia. Milanovich threw three in-College ran its unbeaten streak No. 8 Florida State 23. Notre to seven games. The Eagles had

more, as visiting Oregon closed No. 9 Texas A&M 26, Louis- in on its first Rose Bowl berth ville 10: In Louisville, Ken- in 37 years. The Ducks and losing season for Stanford un-

No. 16 Virginia Tech 41, threw three TD passes for Colo- Rutgers 34: In Blacksburg, Vir-Dwayne Thomas rushed for 172 yards. Tech led 41-13 in the Lucas, who passed for a career-

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1983 and 1988; ironically, on the day its record was broken, Columbia beat Cornell, 38-33, to ensure its first winning season since

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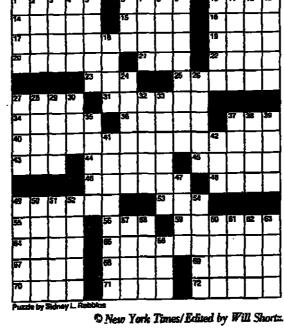
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letic Conference) haven't won since Oct. 28,

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A Crisis Builds in the Greenroom

LANGUAGE

By William Safire

recently to hear a panel discuss "Words in the Next Millennium," a crisis was building in the

The greenroom is the anteroom offstage where performers or lecturers fret, practice their lines, or just horse around until the audience starts stamping its feet. (The "attiring room" was noted in Shakespeare's day, and may have been first called green at the Drury Lane Theatre in London. Some say set designers moved small trees and shrubbery into this room, causing it to be called the greens room: others hold that it is rooted in outdoor performances being held on a greensward; all is speculation, but it is unlikely that it was so called because the room was painted that color, or was named after a produc-

Where was I? The linguistic crisis. Two world class lexicographers were present: Fred Mish, of Merriam-Webster, the corporate descendant of Noah Webster and unabashed bastion of description of the language as it is, and Anne Soukhanov, whose hand guided American Heritage down more prescriptive lines.

My plan had been to select words and phrases from that morning's New York Times for etymological discussion. I had the newspaper spread out on the table in the greenroom; a chapter of Pope John Paul II's new book, "Crossing the Threshold of Hope," was the centerpiece of the Op-Ed page. Circled in red was a word from the following passage: ". . . making use of these very semina Verbi, that constitute a kind of common soteriological root present in all religions."

Soteriological? Mish and Soukhanov looked at each other blankly. My New York Times colleague, Jeffrey McQuain, who was moderating the panel, offered, "It's the adjectival form of soteriology," which was a big help. After some fast thumbwork in their respective tomes, both lexies came up with the answer: "theology deal-ing with salvation" was the Merriam-Webster definition, "especially as effected by Jesus Christ." That's a word the bishop of Rome would surely be familiar with. But your ordinary newspaper reader, even dictionary writers? Hardly.

The Greek etymon was soteria, "deliverance," from sozein, "to save," growing out of sos, "safe, sound." The Oxford English Dictionary has the earliest use recorded in Webster's 1847 dictionary. with a meaning of "a discourse on health," but the theological meaning took over a generation later.

A question of style arises. The pope, whose publishers have more than a million copies of his

book in print in the United States alone, obviously wants to reach a large audience with his

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book. In the same way, The New York Times likes its readers to comprehend the prose it WASHINGTON — As language mavens likes its readers to comprehend the prose it presents. Why, then, use a word that so clearly stumps the experts?

It raises the level of discourse. The reader is required to stretch his vocabulary to grasp the writer's point. This goes against the grain of most current writing theory, which puts the burden of communication on the writer to make his meaning plain to a large audience. That's why a Newsweek review, troubled by the book's "lofty tone," cautions, "Willing readers may find renewed wonder in 'Crossing the Threshold of Hope,' but they'll have to do more than their

share of the work." What's wrong with requiring a reader to work?
There is a trade-off, however: the working reader has to know that the author is the authentic writer of the prose.

That's what held me throughout the book. which I bought after the panel broke up and the edified audience left. This is not a work drafted by a dutiful ghost and edited and approved by the world figure; nor is it a draft from dictation or notes jotted down by a famous person that has been smoothed and revamped by editors to ren-der it more understandable by the intended readership. Though it uses the device of answering questions submitted by the journalist Vittorio Messori, and though it has been translated from Polish to Italian to English, nothing about this style comes across "as told to." Instead, in a throwback to Winston Churchill, it is the work product of the mind of the famous person working alone. The reader is willing to work because the author was willing to work.

Back to my own line of work: the Latin phrase mina Verbi, used by the pope before he let us have it with soteriological, means "seeds of the Word." The capitalization of Verbi, "the Word," signifies that word means the Word of God; semina means "seeds."

The phrase is based on the New Testament parable of the sower, says Jan Ziolkowski, Harvard professor of medieval Latin. In the parable, which is told in three Gospels, a sower spreads some seed on rocks and thorns, and the seed fails; only the seed that falls on good ground flourishes. That parable in the Gospel of Luke uses the expression "The seed is the word of

According to Ziolkowski: "In all the interpretations, the sower is a person who spreads the Word — understood sometimes as just Christ himself, other times as others who preach the

New York Times Service

History on Your Wrist: Landmark Jewelry

By Suzy Menkes

EW YORK — The young man in the spiffs have the spiffy bow tie peering at the marble fireplace is not just admiring the architecture of a historic house. Nor even sizing it up as a sale item for

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Sotheby's, where he works. Mish Tworkowski is thinking about how the carving might look dangting from your ear.

"I keep looking at wainscoting or molding and thinking, 'Wouldn't that look wonderful wrapped round a neck

or a wrist?" he says.

The 33-year-old jeweler, known universally as Mish (dropping his Polish family name), has carved out a most unlikely corner. He has turned his fascination with the architecture of the past into an inspiration for jewel-

ry. And in return, the American cul-

tural landmarks that he visits sell a

slice of themselves in their gift shops. So there at Old Westbury Gardens. a Long Island country estate, visitors are offered a charm bracelet hung with miniature watering can, garden-ing tools, sunflowers and seed packets, designed by the green-thumbed Mish, who is a keen gardener at his

Bridgehampton house.

The commission of which he is proudest is the chance to ferret in George Washington's home at Mount Vernon, Virginia. The redoubtable and discerning Ladies' Association asked him to create jewels that speak of the "univer-

sal elements" of Washington's world. So Mish did not reproduce Martha Washington's delicate 18th-century jewelry. Instead he took a bookplate with the family coat of arms and the crest on the silverware and created bold pins. The concept of the heritage souvenir is thus raised to a new taste level, where the past is used to create not a replica, but an object worthy of

the original setting.
Why should Mount Vernon the Preservation Foundation of Palm Beach (which got gilded monkeys and palm leaves) and the Metropolitan Opera House (diva jeweled collars) all have chosen Mish, a specialist in coins at Sotheby's New York, who five years ago was making jewelry just for friends and selling it from his desk drawer? "Because I had a real sensibility to

what made a historical home or garden important - I could relate to the soul of the place," he says. "I don't go in to reproduce the thing. I pick the most symbolic element. And I make things that are not only beautiful, but wearable.

The skill is in taking a motif like Washington's griffin and blowing it up to a different scale, but appreciating that it "has integrity and tradition."
"My mission," he says, "is to bring a little bit of George into everybody's

A chirpy cheerfulness combined with a genuine aesthetic sensibility doubtless endears Mish to the crusty custodians of historic houses, as it does to the collectors whom he massages in his role as assistant vice president in the client advisory department of the auction house.

Mish admits that he would find it difficult to create Statue of Liberty souvenirs-to-a-price, because they satisfy the hunger of a mass public "like fast food." There is a tinge of regret as he talks of the "push" for special exhibitions that forced museums that were once elitist to lure a wider public than the "upper-middle-class family."

Fashion stores throughout the world, including Barneys and Bergdorf Goodman in New York and Harvey Nichols in London, buy from the five Mish jewelry lines. Royalties are paid on heritage pieces - even if customers do not realize that earchips are based on a rooster motif in a ceiling cornice in the Federal-style Homewood House in Baltimore, or the key to the Paris Bastille presented to George Washington.

And that really is the point. The designs work in their own right and only Mish may know where he took the idea of the tiny antique frames, set with crystal, that form a charm bracelet, or the antique hitching post for a design that may be taken up for the National Horse Show.

The origins might be elitist, but the prices of the architectural-inspired ewels are democratic: from \$30 to \$500. More expensive lines are also



Mish Tworkowski, and, right, the pin inspired by the griffin motif on George Washington's silverware.

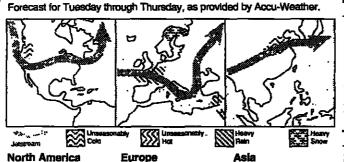
produced in stirling silver or vermeil (up to \$1,000) and gold (to \$5,000). So many new projects with historic homes are in the pipeline that commis-sions are already scheduled into 1997, when Mish will still be well under 40.

He believes that by changing the scale of the original inspirations, he translates it into the 20th century and can make it look modern. But doesn't he ever have the urge to create something that has no reference to the past?

"Is anything really original — all our ideas come from something," he says. "Frank Lloyd Wright studied parallel lines of prairies and geometric formation of rocks. Do I ever want to do something modern? I have a lot of modern ideas, but life isn't letting me



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North America
Showers will shift from the eastern Great Lakes to the heart of the Atlantic Seaboard Tuesday, in their many, France and Switzerwake it will turn cotder; showers will return to the Great Lakes region by Thursday. Florida will be sainy Tuesday. Pacific coest day and Thursday from the north. A chill will be rainy Tuesday. Pacific coest day and Thursday from the northern Alpa to Britain and southern Scandinavia.

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Northern and middle China will be cold and gray with some rain; also snow and siest in the north. A chill will linger from Korea to the heart of Japan; some rain will fall at Sapporo. Hong Kong, Manilla and Bangkok will have warm sun and little goals.

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'Crop Artist' Finds Growing Corn in Manhattan Isn't Easy

By N. R. Kleinfield

New York Times Service NEW YORK — In Kansas, where Stan Herd is known for making art by planting arrangements of crops and flowers, pretty much all he needs is a tractor. Trying to replicate the process in Manhattan, he found he needed Donald Trump and two homeless people as well as the tractor.

"I have to say I was overwhelmed by the whole task," Herd said, patrolling the land-scape image of trees and clouds that he fashioned with vegetables, other plants and gravel on a one-acre plot along the Hudson River between 68th and 70th streets. "I put more hours into this than any of the others I did. I like it, but some of the plants didn't grow as well as I would have preferred."

This represents Herd's ninth example of 'crop art," which uses soil as canvas and plants as paint. To mark the essential completion of a work that was started in late April, Herd, 44, on Wednesday ushered benefactors and friends of the work on helicopter flights over the landscape that he calls "Countryside."

Herd's previous works have usually covered between 20 and 160 acres (8 to about 65 hectares), in places like Kansas or Australia. Finding even an acre of decent farm land in midtown Manhattan can be a test. Since the chosen plot was part of the old New York Central railyards, now owned by Trump, the ground was rampant with rubble inhospitable to growing corn and watermelons.

Nevertheless, one thing New York is not short of is people willing to try anything. Herd received yeoman service, for example, from two homeless men who dwell in abandoned railyard tunnels next to the site. One who said he was 43 calls himself Lone Wolf.

The other is Ryan Turner, who is 28 and lives a couple of tunnels down from Lone Wolf. He is hoping to develop into a writer and has plans for a book about the motiva-

tion behind prayer As it evolved, the \$95,000 work of art became a handy supermarket for the needy, The homeless workers picked and ate the vegetables in the landscape, as did other homeless people occupying the tunnels. "I

ate, like, 15 cucumbers until I couldn't ear anymore," Turner said. "But they were mighty good." It has been eight years since Herd first Securit

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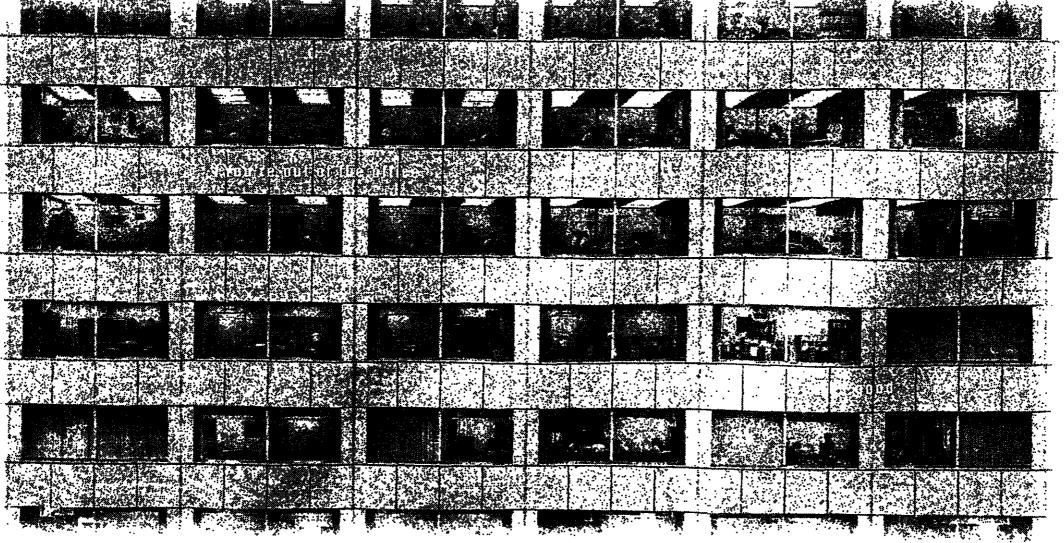
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conceived of the project. He was happy with his other crop art, but the only people who saw it were those in window seats in airplanes. "I had always envisioned putting my work in front of a lot of people," he explained. "I wanted to put one next to a high-rise."

Trump agreed to lease him the property free until the end of November.

In all, 200 tons of topsoil were put down. plus 20 tons of rock; 5,000 plants like loupes, tomatoes, and pumpkins; 2,000 flowering plants like impatiens and mums as well as crops of rye grass, corn, soy-

beans, and wheat. While crop art is never truly done, Herd feels that it is complete for the winter. He said the Trump people were optimistic that he could keep the landscape in place through next spring, if so, he will return then to replenish it.



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